DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH.

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Do not fail to see our line, the biggest ever shown in Dixon

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Log Cabin Maple Syrup
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O. P. T. { Buckwheat, Corn Flour, Pancake Flour

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Gold Medal Flour--Chase & Sanborn Coffee--Gilt Edge Flour

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Errors of refraction and muscle errors of the Eye scientifically treated and

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Accurately for the most complicated cases.

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That Stove Pipe
Now's the time to finish it.

For finishing stove pipes, heating drums and all metal and wooden surfaces

Sherwin-Williams Stove Pipe Enamel

is the best article on the market. Prevents rust and decay, withstands extreme heat. You can apply it yourself. Sold only in small CANS 25 cents. A brush of good good quality 10 cents.

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Produce the most natural music made by a talking machine. CALL AND BE CONVINCED. We have just received a new and up-to-date stock of records. If we haven't got what you want, we'll get it.

We also have the most complete line of Furniture in this part of the State. You are invited to inspect.

SMITH & MOYER,
Furniture Ambulance Service Undertaking
.....Successors to H. Camp & Son.....
84 GALENA AVE BOTH PHONES. DIXON, ILLINOIS.



We would like to call your attention to our brand of

Telmo Pure Maple Syrup

We sell it in quarts, half gallons and gallons and in quart glass bottles.

Fresh Stock of O. P. T. Corn Flour, Buckwheat and Pancake Flour.

DIXON GROCERY CO.

DENEEN WARMLY WELCOME IN DIXON

Next Governor of Illinois Speaks to a Large Crowd This Afternoon.

TALKS ON THE ISSUES

Work of McKinley and Roosevelt for People Favor Return of the Party.

IT CARRIES OUT ITS PROMISES

Gandidate Goes to Sterling Tonight; Meets Fairbank's Party Tomorow

The most enthusiastic meeting of the campaign in Dixon thus far was that held this afternoon when Hon. Charles S. Deneen, republican candidate for governor, met the people of Dixon and Lee county. His reception was hearty and showed the unity of the republican party after the hard struggle in convention.

Considering the disadvantageous hour the crowd was very large. The Watson-Plummer band was on hand and added to the rally feature of the meeting, although no attempt was made to take up the time with marching clubs. County Chairman M. J. McGowan headed the reception committee and the prominent republicans of Dixon made Mr. Deneen feel that his welcome was sincere.

IS GETTING ACQUAINTED.

Mr. Deneen is hurrying over the great state of Illinois on a promise that he made to the delegates at the state convention that he would visit every county in the state. He has already visited nearly seventy counties and has been making three speeches a day since he started on his tour.

It is not necessary in this campaign, that he should do this work because the people of Illinois are for him for the next chief executive, as they have studied his record and his character. But his record was made as a legislator for a short time and as states attorney in Cook county. His face is not familiar to people in the counties throughout the state and he is out to become acquainted with the people he is to serve.

He dresses and looks like a business man. The address he makes is that of a business man, and the impression he leaves is that he will administer the affairs of the state as a business man.

ADDRESS WELL RECEIVED.

Mr. Deneen's address was well received and heartily cheered. He dwelt at length on national issues, referring to the depression in business caused by the passage of the Wilson tariff bill during the Cleveland administration. He went over the McKinley and Roosevelt administration, saying that on the question of trusts the republicans' work everywhere in contrast to the democratic apathy shows a good record of activity for the farmer. The work of McKinley and Roosevelt in the interest of the people and the present prosperous times Mr. Deneen contended were all in favor of the retention in power of the republican party, a party that carried out its pledges and was honest with the people of the country.

A more complete report of Mr. Deneen's speech will be given in THE TELEGRAPH tomorrow. The Sterling reception committee arrived late this afternoon and Mr. Deneen will accompany them home, speaking there this evening. Tomorrow he will leave Sterling for Rock Island, where he will join the Fairbanks party and go to Chicago via the counties south of Lee.

ELOPING WIFE RETURNS

Dixon Pair of Runaways Were Located in Rockford.

Rockford Register-Gazette: Mr. St. Clair of Dixon was in Rockford Monday in search of his runaway spouse who was reported to have skipped with one Roy Nettz. The police were called into the search and they located the woman at the Chick house where she had found employment under the name of Blanche Phillips. Mr. Nettz was found working on the concrete dam on the water power. The woman yielded reluctantly to her husband's appeals to return with him and Nettz was not disturbed at his work.



HON. CHARLES S. DENEEN,
Republican Candidate for Governor of Illinois.

EXTRACTS FROM DENEEN'S SPEECH.

I favor a civil service law for employees in state institutions.

. . .

I favor the enactment of a law that would require primaries to be held in the same manner as elections.

. . .

The hard times that followed during the Cleveland administration are too fresh to need mention.

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When McKinley was elected in 1869 he kept his faith with the people.

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Two railroads in the north had combined to fix and control the freight and passenger rates. Roosevelt attacked it and the supreme court upheld the government.

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The free silver issue was a flat failure.

. . .

There is no difference in the platforms of the two parties on the question of trusts.

JAPS HAVE UPPER HAND

Have Cut Off and Will Capture Russian Brigade.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH:

Tokio, Oct. 12.—Field Marshal Oyama has been fighting along almost the entire front since October 10th.

The Japanese have gained ground and repulsed the Russian attack on Sianchan. The general Japanese advance along the broad front towards Mukden is progressing.

A brigade of Russian infantry with 2,000 cavalry, having for its object the flanking of Gen. Kuroki, has been cut off and probably will be captured.

The British steamer Fu Ping, belonging to the Chinese Engineering and Mining Co., was captured by the Japanese off Port Arthur today.

RUSS CAN'T BREAK LINES

Japs Are Stubbornly Holding Their Own Below Mukden.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH:

St. Petersburg, Oct. 12.—The battle below Mukden continues to rage along the entire front. The Japanese are stubbornly holding their own, according to a dispatch from Gen. Kuropatkin.

—Atty. C. B. Morrison returned to Chicago this morning.

GRANTS CONTINUANCE

Wade Stevens Murder Case Will go Over to the January Term

FARVER VS CHAPMAN CASE ON

Is Being Tried Before a Jury This Afternoon.

A continuance to the January term of the circuit court has been granted in the murder case of the People vs Wade Stevens in compliance with the motion of the defendant.

Action taken in other cases today was as follows:

Reinhart vs Dysart. On motion of plaintiff leave is given to file additional counts to declaration.

Butler vs Butler. Partition. Motion by complainant to have cause referred to Master in Chancery to take and report proofs and findings.

McCrystal vs McCrystal. Partition. Master's report approved.

Farver vs Chapman estate is being taken up this afternoon. The jury is called, examined, impanelled and sworn and testimony is being taken. This case is based upon a claim made by Mrs. Farver upon the estate of John R. Chapman and is appealed from the county court.

Y. M. C. A. LOCATED

Will Move Before November 1st to 205 First Street.

The Young Men's Christian Association has rented rooms over Etnyre & Price's store at 205 First street and will move to the new location before November 1st.

There are six rooms and they have all been refinished and will be furnished by the association for the convenience and accommodation of the members.

BANKRUPTCY PETITION

Filed in Chicago Tuesday by Chas. A. Steinmann.

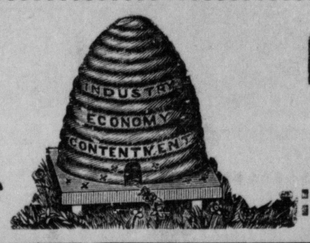
Charles A. Steinmann, president of Steinmann College, Tuesday filed a voluntary bankruptcy petition in the United States district court in Chicago, through his attorney, J. W. Beemer. The liabilities listed amount to $33,000 and the assets $25,000. Richard Bovey was appointed receiver and is represented by Atty. John J. Ives.

The Broncho at Memphis,

The Bronch is entered at Memphis, Tenn., in the 2:13 stake on Monday, Oct. 24th.

—E. H. Forman of Milwaukee was calling on Dixon trade yesterday.

The Bee Hive



EICHLER BROS.
Proprietors



Elegant Fall Showing
Of Children's and Misses' **Cloaks**

Our line is new in every particular as we had no last season's goods to carry over. The vnery newest styles and most elegantly tailored garments are to be found at our store. Our selection is so complete and covers such a wide range of colors and styles that we are sure we can please you. We have made the price right.

Another Good Stove

Along with Beckwith's Round Oak we sell COLE'S HOT BLAST heating stove. We know these two stoves so thoroughly that we say this: If you buy either one of the two and don't find it to be the VERY BEST stove you ever had, you may return it and get your money. Mind you, we don't say "just as good" but, the very best you ever had. How can we recommend them any stronger?

E.N.Howell Hardware Co
DIXON, ILLINOIS.

Carpenter's
Big Carpet Sale
IS STILL ON!

75c Lowell Ingrain Carpet go at.....55c
55c All Wool Filling Extra Ingrain go at.....40c
Extra Heavy Granite Carpet, worth 35c, closing out price.....24c
Cottage Carpet worth 30c, closing out price.....20c
500 yds Matting at Actual Cost.
Linoleum and Oilcloth at 25 per cent Discount.

104 GALENA AVENUE.

OUR NEW STORE
—Is Full Of—
Freshest and Best Goods
To Be Had.

Right Goods
Right Prices
Right Treatment } Makes our Benefits Mutual

Goods Delivered Promptly to all Parts of The City.

Moyer & Earll
Both Phones 91 Galena Ave.

Calumet Baking Powder

Perfect in quality.
Moderate in price.

For the week commencing Oct. 10 1904

	Max.	Min	Precp.
Sunday	73	58	.—
Monday	—	—	.—
Tuesday	—	—	.—
Wednesday	—	—	.—
Thursday	—	—	.—
Friday	—	—	.—
Saturday	—	—	.—

THE WEATHER

CHICAGO, Ill., OCT. 12 9:00 a. m. he following are the weather indications for Northern Illinois

Generally fair tonight and Thursday

BUSINESS CARDS

CITY NATIONAL BANK
DIXON. ILLINOIS.

CAPITAL STOCK $100,000

SAMUEL C EELLS, President.
LEONARD ANDRUS, Vice President.
W. C. DURKEE, Cashier.
CHAS. E. CHANDLER, Ass't Cashier

This bank is fully equipped to take care of its customers. Its safety deposit vaults and boxes should be patronized by everybody who desires absolute security for the valuables. papers, jewelry, etc.

DIXON NATIONAL BANK
DIXON. ILLINOIS.

CAPITAL STOCK $100,000

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S. S. DODGE, Vice-President,
CHAS. H. HUGHES, Cashier,
DIRECTORS:
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CHAS. H. HUGHES
A. K. TRUSDELL E. H. RICKARD

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Abstracts promptly made of any land in Lee County....

John C. Gray
....COUNTRYMAN BLDG....

HORSE SHOEING

FOR a good job of horse shoeing or repair work, go to Andy, the Swede Blacksmith One door north of Dement's livery barn. 63&189tlm

NURSERY STOCK.

THERE are no better trees grown in the United States than the Phoenix Co's of Bloomington Ill. I have the sole agency of Dixon and surrounding territory. It will pay you to get my terms and prices on all fruit and ornamental trees before you place your order elsewhere. W. J. Bittman, Agent, Eldena, Ill. 63&189tlm

Geo. Frericks
Dement-town. 606 Depot Ave.
MERCHANT TAILOR
.....New line of.....
Fall and Winter Samples
CLOTHES CLEANED & PRESSED.

PHIL N. MARKS,
The Farmers and Workingmans Friend
Store—85 Galena Avenue
Near Bridge

I Have Just Returned from the East, where I Have Bought Some Great Snaps.

96 Men's Misfit Suits of High Grade and up-to-date styles and patterns—cost $25 to $30 to make to order—come quick and get your choice from $11 to $14 a suit.
Also 125 pair of Misfit Pants, worth $7 to $9 to order, our price will be from $3 to $4 a pair for this lot.
An elegant line of fine All Wool Men's Fancy Worsteds Suits $5.75, $6.75, $7.50, $9 50 and 10 50 per suit.
We have about 40 Men's Suits odds and ends $ 50 to $4.50
Boys' Knee Pants Suits, 75c, 95c, $1.20 175 a suit.
Youths' Long Pants Suits, $2.00, $3.00, $4.75 a suit.
Boys' Knee Pants 15c, 25c, 35c, 45c, 50c a pair.
1500 Boys' Caps 10c, 15c and 25c.
100 doz of samples of Golf Gloves for Men, Women and Misses 10c a 15c pr This is just like the lot we sold last year and created such a sensation—they are regular 50c goods.
100 doz of Infants' Cashmere Hose, silk heels and toes, 10c a pair. This is a snap and a finer lot than we had last year. Call quick before they all go.
75 doz Stocking Caps, fine all-wool goods, 10c, 15c and 25c each.
Ladies' Heavy Fleece Lined Hose 10c a pair.
Men's Everyday Suspenders 10c and 15c a pair.
Women's Fine Dongola Shoes 98c pair.
Men's Satin Calf Shoes, solid as a rock $1.35 a pair.
Men's Fine Vici Kid, Velour Calf or Box Calf Shoes $2.25 a pair.
Men's Fine Patent Colt Skin, plain or blucher, up-to-date, $2.75 a pair.
Boys' Satin Calf Shoes, 12 to 5½, for 95c a pair.
Women's House Slippers 25c and 48c
Women's Patent Colt Skin Shoes $1.88

—NOTIONS—

200 yds Clark's Machine Thread, at 2c spool.
Best Needles, 2c paper
Best Shoe Laces, 5c a dozen
Men's Boston Garters 15c a pair.

Dunn's Hack Line.

I am now prepared, day or night, to do every and all kinds of transfer work, passengers and baggage. My rigs are clean and up-to-date, my drivers are men of experience and gentlemanly. Prices:—From any hotel to depots, or return, 10 cents; city, ten blocks or less 10 cents; 5 cents additional for every five blocks after 10 p. m.; hurry train calls 25c. Sunday orders 25c. phone 408

WANTS.

HOUSEHOLD Furniture, carpets, stoves' organ etc. Enquire 321 East Fourth St. 240t6*

A PASTRY Cook at once at the European Restaurant. 229tf

CUSTOMERS to use Tobasco Coffee. The finest Coffee in America. Ask your Grocer for it. 142tf

100 GIRLS wanted to learn bindery. Nice clean work and good pay when learned. Steady work all the year round. The Stewart Press. 214 River street. 225t1m

GIRL for general housework. Mrs. D. C Curran, No. 517 College aveue. 235tf

THREE live wide-awake ladies or gentlemen to represent the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co. in this and other cities. Very liberal inducements will be given to right party. Also one general agent wanted. Apply in person at Mrs. Clark's Hotel, or Boarding House, 511 West First St., from 1 to 2 or 6 to 9 p. m. O. G. Pratt, General Agent. 236t6†

WANTED TO RENT for the winter, moderate-sized furnished house, by family of three adults. Send answers to X., care of this office. 236tf

COMPETENT girl for general housework. Liberal wages. Mrs. A. K. Trusdell, Third St. 236tf

GOOD farm hand who can milk. Steady employment to right party. R. J. Hanne Rural Route No 2. Co, phone A4. 237tf

FOR SALE.

A 9-ROOM house West Dixon 1 block from street cars. Nice lot fronting south. Cistern and well. Will make extreme low price of $1725. $200 cash, $10 per month. F. E. Stiteley Company. 241t3

ACID, dry powder and chemical fire extinguishers. Geo. Detrick, Fire Marshal Dixon. Ill. 73t1m&222t1m

$2900 BUYS a nice home on West First street, 12 rooms, large lot. Fine shade. Cistern and well. F. E. Stiteley Company. 240t3

FURNITURE, such as chairs, tables, beds etc. Apply to Roy Follett, No. 1015 West Fourth street. 240t3

DRIVING Horse—guaranteed perfectly safe—not afraid street cars or railroad engine. Chas. Madick, 422 Ninth St. 239t3

$2600 BUYS 7-room house, lot 50x150 feet, corner. Small barn, wood shed. Cistern and city water. Well located on one of the best streets in city. F. E. Stiteley Company. 239t3

COUNTY Atlas and Law Books. Enquire of Mrs. H. R. Bartlett, 231 West Fellows St., Lee Co. phone No. 349. 238tf

HOUSE and lot on Monroe street between First and Second street. 75x150 feet. Enquire of Mark C. Keller. 224t12

160 ACRES of land in Washburne Co., Wis., will trade for horses and cattle for particulars enquire of S. S. Royer, Prairieville. Ill., or address me at Mikana, Barron Co., Wis., Milford Johnson. 233t24†

ACETYLINE Gas Plant in good condition suitable for lighting city or farm residence. For sale cheap. Enquire of Mrs. Eustace Shaw or this office. 169tf

FOR RENT.

HOUSE of five rooms and pantry. Enquire of Mrs. Andrew Phalen. 115 East Eighth St. 240t3†

240 ACRE Milk Farm, situated east of Dixon on Daysville road. For further particulars enquire of C. E Harrington, Dixon, Ill. 239t3&81t1

9 ROOM house on Madison street, nearly new, modern improvements. Inquire of Mark C. Keller. 234t12

FURNISHED or unfurnished rooms with heat and all conveniences, or entire house for rent furnished, 521 South Galena avenue, the Orvis place. 227tf

FIVE-ROOM Cottage on West Fellows street conveniently arranged with city and cistern water. Apply to Henry Levi, at the Plymouth. 218tf

FIVE-ROOM cottage in good repair, on Dixon Ave., in North Dixon. Rent reasonable. Enquire of John A. Deeter, at Planing Mill. 214tf

HOUSE, corner Tenth and Highland. Eight rooms, cistern and barn. Apply to C. Gonnerman. 104tf

COTTAGE, convenient, pleasantly located. Man and wife preferred. Three and one-half blocks from Court House Rent reasonable. Enquire at 414 South Dixon avenue. 246tf

LOST

BLACK Silk Umbrella, between my residence and the North-Western depot. F. A. Watson. 240t3

COLE'S HOT BLAST

Is an air-tight heater that is so scientifically constructed that it burns all the gas arising from soft coal, hard coal, lignite coal or screenings. This saves half the cost of fuel. A guarantee with every stove. Sold by

For Sale by E. N. Howell's Hardware Company, Dixon, Ill.

Faster Time to St. Louis--The Wabash Cuts the Schedule to 7 Hours.

Commencing Sunday, October 2nd, the Wabash Banner Blue Limited, which leaves Chicago at 11:03 a. m. daily, will make the run from Chicago to St. Louis in seven hours—one hour faster time than has heretofore ever been made between Chicago and St. Louis. On the return trip, the ..a leaves St. Louis at 2:00 p. m. and reaches Chicago at 9:00 p. m.

The Banner Blue Limited is the finest day train in the world. The equipment, which is all new, consists of highback coaches, free reclining chair cars, dining car and observation car.

NEW YORK FASHIONS

Pattern For Girls' and Misses' Lounging Robe or Dressing Sack by Martha Dean



Wrappers and kimonos have never been more charming or never more in demand than at present, and every girl should have one or more of these comfortable garments. The kimono is an article of easy home manufacture, and there are so many pretty inexpensive materials to be had that the question of cost is not to be considered. Cotton goods, especially crape, make a most charming kimono, and then we have flannelet, albatross and matalasse to choose from. The only trimming necessary is plain colored bands, or if the kimono itself be of plain material use polka dot or striped bands. If one desires to hold the wrapper in to the figure a silk cord girdle or ribbon belt might be used. The model provides for both short and long lengths, and the yoke may be of lace or material, as one desires it.

Material required for 9 year size, 2 yards 27 inches wide, with 1¼ yards for bands.

Pattern No. 4406.

Sizes, 3, 5, 7, 9, 10, 12, 14, 16 years.

DIRECTIONS FOR ORDERING

Send 10 cents to this office, give number of this pattern, No. 4406, and state size desired. It will then be sent to you by mail postpaid. Be sure to write *plainly* and always give *full* address. Several days must be allowed for delivery of pattern.

PATTERN DEPARTMENT
THE EVENING TELEGRAPH
Enclosed find ten cents for which please send me Pattern No. 4406.
Size.....
Name.....
Street No.....
City.....
State.....

To World's Fair Visitors:

Certain other Chicago-St. Louis lines have advertised freely in Chicago and elsewhere that they land their passengers at the World's Fair Grounds. Up to a short time ago they were using the Rock Island Road to reach the Fair Grounds. A recent order of the United States Court prohibits the Rock Island from handling the trains of other lines. The Wabash is, therefore the only line that can handle World's Fair travel between Union Station, Page Ave., and the World's Fair Grounds. The Chicago-St Louis lines referred to have applied for permission to run their passengers over the Wabash tracks, which permission has been refused. They will be obliged to land their passenger at Union Station, which is over five miles from the World's Fair Grounds.

ALL WABASH TRAINS

to and from St. Louis, bother regular and special, pass and stop at the World's Fair main entrance, where the Wabash has its own magnificent passenger station. with every facility for rapidly handling of passengers and baggage.

Between Chicago and St. Louis the Wabash has

FOUR DAILY TRAINS

leaving Chicago at 8:45 a. m., 11:03 a. m., 9 p. m. and 11:30 p. m. The 11:03 a. m. train is the BANNER BLUE LIMITED "the latest and finest day train on earth." This train makes the run from Chicago to St Louis in seven hours, reducing the usual running time by one hour.

WORLD'S FAIR EXCURSION RATES

from Chicago are: For coach tickets, (good only in coaches of free reclining chair cars) with return limit of seven days from date of sale, $6.00. These tickets are on sale every day except Friday and Saturday.

Ten-day tickets, good in coaches chair cars and sleepers, $8.00. Sold only Oct, 12, 16 and 17.

Sixty-day tickets, good in coaches, chair cars or sleepers, $10.00. Sold every day.

Further information promptly furnished upon request.

City ticket office 97 Adams-st., Chicago, Ill.

F. A. PALMER, A. G. P. A. Chicago, Ill.
C. S. CRANE, G. P. & T. A. St. Louis, Mo.

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Canal Board Examines Hennepin.

Several members of the advisory board of engineers on canals in the state of New York spent Monday in Rock Island, in the afternoon visiting the Hennepin canal in company with Capt. Wheeler, the trip through the canal being made on the steamer Ruth Col. Symonds of the engineer corps of the United States army accompanied the gentlemen on the trip. It was stated that the New York legislature has appropriated $101,000 000 for the deepening of the canals of the state. The Hennepin, though still in an incomplete condition, was found to be deeper and more accessible than the majority of the waterways of New York.

Maud—Last night Jack told me that he wouldn't marry the best girl living, unless—what—unless she took Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Bright fellow. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Rowland Bros.

Low Rates to Eastern Points

will always apply via the Nickel Plate Road and its eastern connections to all points in New York, New England and eastern states. Three daily trains to Ft. Wayne, Findlay, Cleveland, Erie, Buffalo, New York and Boston. Standard equipment on all trains. Meals served in dining cars on American Club Plan, ranging in price from 35 cents to $1.00 per meal; also service a la carte and Mid-day Luncheon 50 cents. The eastern terminals of the Nickel Plate Road are only from three to ten minutes from all Ocean Steamship Docks, and the service afforded is first-class. No excess fare charged on any train. For particulars, call on or address John Y. Calahan, General Agent. 113 Adams St., Room 298, Chicago, Ill. Chicago depot, LaSalle and Van Buren Sts.

O beauty, what a powerful weapon thou art. The bravest men fall at thy feet. No wonder women take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea to prolong that joyous spell. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Rowland Bros

Extra Cars for Father Vaughn's Lecture

Extra cars will be run by the Electric Railway company Wednesday evening for Father Vaughn's lecture at Sterling to accommodate the large crowds of people who want to attend this great lecture.

Cars will leave Dixon at 7 o'clock and return promptly after the lecture

Mrs. Emma R. Brookner has recovered sufficiently from the fall of several weeks ago as to be able to be about the house.

From Maidenhood to Womanhood.

Zoa Phora Makes This Change Safe and Easy—Cures All Female Troubles—Trial Bottle Free.

The critical period in the young girl's life when she is budding into womanhood is made safe and easy by Zoa Phora. All the danger and suffering attending this important change are removed. Zoa Phora cures permanently and perfectly all diseases peculiar to womankind. It cures leucorrhea, suppressed and painful periods, all misplacements, flooding and piles and cures them so they stay cured. It regulates the change of life and makes childbirth easy.

Mrs. Sarah Shoemaker of 47 W. Bridge St., Grand Rapids, Mich., writes: "I am only too glad to express my feelings in regard to what Zoa Phora has done for my daughter. She was very poorly at the time she began using your medicine. She had no blood, and suffered a great deal of pain with her menses, which was irregular. She has taken several bottles and we would gladly recommend Zoa Phora to any woman suffering in her condition, as she has been greatly benefited by using it."

Write the Zoa Phora Co., Kalamazoo, Mich., for a free trial bottle and copy of their illustrated medical book, "Dr. Pengelly's Advice to Women." The doctor will gladly give free medical advice when needed. Zoa Phora is for sale at $1.00 a bottle by

WALGREEN-DAVIS DRUG CO.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

CHICAGO & NORTH-WESTERN RAILROAD.

WEST BOUND.

No. 8—1:52 a. m.— * Pacific Express
No 13—10:23 a. m.— † Des Moines Express
No 5—12:44 p. m.— * Omaha Pass
No 7—3:45 p. m.— † Cedar Rap. Pass
No 17—6:49 p. m.— † Sterling Pass
No 25—8:45 p. m.— * N. W. Ia. & Dak. Spl
No 11—9:14 p. m.— * Colorado, Spl
No 1—10:23 p. m.— * Overland Lim.
No 863—7:20 a. m.— † Peoria freight
No 131—11:15 a m.— ¶ Freight, passengers from Franklin Grove to Clinton.

EAST BOUND.

No 8—3:25 a. m.— * Omaha and Chi, Exp
No 6—4:52 a. m.— * Atlantic Exp
No 16—6:16 a. m.— * Iowa & Dak. Spl
No 2—6:37 a. m.— * Overland Lim
No 18—7:19 a. m.— † Sterling Pass
No 20—10.32 a m.— † Ced: Rap. Pass
No 14—3:50 p. m.— † Des Moines Pass
No 12—5:27 p. m.— * Chicago Spl
No 28—4:15 p. m — ¶ Clinton Pass

*—Daily.

J. J. CARTY, Agent.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.
NORTH BOUND.

No. 134—Northern Special, daily, 4:41 a. m.
No. 118—Omaha Day Express, daily except Sunday 9:37 a. m.
No. 124—Northern Express, daily, 5:40
No. 192—Local Freight, except Sunday 12:45 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 123—St. Louis Express, daily, 11:18 a.
No. 117—St. Louis Special, daily, 10:10
No. 101—Local daily except Sunday, 3.28 a. m
Amboy Local Freight, daily except Sunday 9.37 a. m,

L. BACKUS, Ticket Agent I. C. R.R.

EAST CHICAGO AND N. W.	MAIL CLOSES
†No. 18 Sterling Passenger R. P. O. 7.19 a, m	6.55 a. m*
†No. 20 C, C. R, & C. B., R. P. O. 10.32 a, m	10.10 a. m.
†No. 14 Express pouch on Chicago, Franklin Grove and Ashton, Ill 3.52 p. m	p. m
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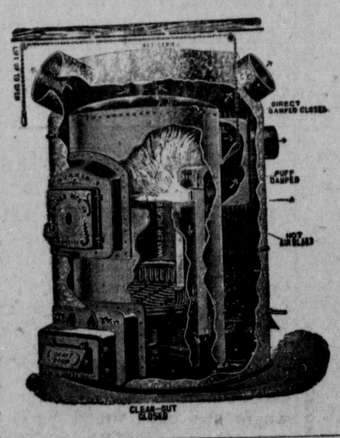
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OLD JUNK

By FRANCES McELRATH

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"I SHOULD like to know any man that has a better right to charity than old Thomas White. He's done his part taking care of the county for forty years, and now I say he may go to the poorhouse holding up his head like a man—like a man, sir."

Old Reuben Marsh could advocate another's dependency as he stood secure behind the counter of his own shop. The notion shop was tiny, and the income derived from it was meager, but it afforded support for Reuben's simple household, and it meant all the sweetness of independence to the old man.

"I shall contribute willingly to Thomas White's support," he said, his voice rising to a shrill crack of emphasis. Then he peered closely at the paper in his hand. "This is my order, John," he said to the bright faced young traveling man to whom he was talking. "Have the stationery here by next week. Good morning, John."

Kathie came out of the sitting room behind the little shop. She waved her hand lightly to Reuben as she tripped across the floor. John Tracy opened the door for her, and they walked together down the street.

John turned his speculative, business seeing eyes on the window of the notion shop as they passed it.

"Your grandfather ought really to make a handsome thing out of his business way up at this end of town," he remarked, "but he's growing rather too shipshape in his methods lately. He keeps his goods packed away so carefully no one knows any more what he has for sale. But I expect," he said, turning to his companion, "you'll be looking out for that end of the business when you finish school."

Kathie's pretty face flushed pink.

"I must leave you here, John. Good-by!" she said.

She walked away briskly up the hill to the boarding house beside the girls' college. It was almost time for the college term to begin, and she knew that Jennie Fry was coming over from Nestor that afternoon to secure her room for the year.

Jennie met her at the boarding house door.

"Oh, Kathie," she exclaimed as they embraced, "Uncle Phil says he can get it for you! As soon as you graduate at Christmas you must make your application!"

"How splendid!"

"We shall have such good times together!" said Jennie, administering an anticipative hug. "I'm sure you'll like Nestor much better than Bilton."

"Couldn't help it," agreed Kathie. "Well, that's all I came for. I must run home again now and tell grandpa and Aunt Mary about it."

A little later when Kathie entered the sitting room behind the shop she found her aunt standing at the window holding a letter.

"Aunt Mary," Kathie began, "I know something fine!"

Mary Marsh turned toward her. There was an unusual flush on her face.

"Did father tell you?" she asked.

"What?"

"About Preston."

"Preston?"

"Yes. He's got a short leave to come home, and he wants me to go back to China with him at once."

"Why, Aunt Mary!"

"We're to be married next Monday."

"You are!" Kathie gathered her aunt's slim form into her vigorous young embrace. Mary Marsh's engagement had been a matter of such long standing her family had almost forgotten that it might ever terminate in a wedding.



"MISS ROME WANTS THESE THINGS FOR THE COLLEGE."

Mary's preparations absorbed the household until the wedding took place. Kathie managed the simple wedding. She was lately developing a considerable faculty for managing. Old Reuben, dressed in a well brushed ancient suit of black, gave his daughter away.

He looked across the table at Kathie as they were eating supper together the night after Mary left home.

"Well, Kathie," he observed, "so you're the only one I have left now to take care of!"

"Oh, grandpa," she returned earnestly, "I'm not going to be a burden on your hands! Indeed, I'm going to take care of you instead! I don't mean that you shall work much longer."

Reuben smiled indulgently. "There's a good deal of work left in the old man yet," he replied proudly.

"That may be, but you're not going to do it. As soon as I graduate at Christmas time I'm going to make you close your shop."

Reuben laid down his knife and fork.

"Hey!" he said reprovingly.

Kathie colored. "I mean," she explained, "that Jennie Fry's uncle says he can get me a position in the new school that's to be opened in Nestor the 1st of February, and then"—

"Then I shall be sorry to lose you, my dear," Reuben broke in, with dignified asperity. "But if it's for your happiness"—

"Why, of course, grandpa, you'll come with me! I want to take care of you now."

Reuben's steady blue eyes looked quietly at Kathie.

"I've supported this family during three generations," he said. "I've always been hardworking. When I was a boy at sea I supported my father and mother. Then when I settled down I had my own family to raise, and then"—

"And then after father died you took care of mother and me. Yes, indeed, grandpa, you've taken care of every one. You have certainly earned the right to be taken care of yourself now."

"I have certainly earned the right to go on taking care of myself!" quavered the old man in retort.

Kathie said no more. She never had argued with her grandfather. Of course she could not leave him. "I'll have to give up the school!" she thought disconsolately.

The college opened the day after Mary Marsh's wedding, and Reuben was up at daybreak polishing his little shop into shining brightness. The college was largely attended this term, and he had laid in a proportionately large supply of goods.

The old man's memory was failing slightly. As Kathie went through the shop on her way out to college she saw him peeping into various boxes carefully, noting their contents before customers should come in.

Her intention was to tell Jennie Fry that she must give up all idea of the Nestor school, but it was a hard thing to do, and when as she was opening the subject Jennie gave her a squeeze and began talking of how Kathie must join the musical club at Nestor her heart quite failed. "We'll play duets together," said Jennie.

"Yes," Kathie agreed slowly, "but—do you really think grandpa would be happy there?"

"Why, certainly," asserted Jennie. "There's the dearest little house back of ours that I'm sure you can get. It has a garden that your grandfather will just love."

"Kathie!" Miss Rome, one of the teachers, called. "Here, my dear," she said pleasantly when Kathie reached her desk, "is a list of the stationery we shall need through the term. Please see to getting it."

Kathie took the list and went out. She started mechanically for her grandfather's shop, but after going a few blocks she suddenly stopped. Then she turned abruptly in the opposite direction and walked very fast to Sam Green's large department store in the far end of town.

"Mr. Green," she said, "Miss Rome wants these things for the college."

Sam looked over the list.

"Why, Miss Kathie," he replied surprisedly, "I can fill the order, of course, but I usually leave things of this sort for your grandfather's trade."

"Well, Mr. Green"—Kathie's heart was beating rapidly with a new determination she had made—"I'm not working up grandpa's trade now," she said. "In fact, as soon as I graduate in December I'm going to take the school in Nestor and make him give up working."

Reuben waited expectantly for the large order of stationery supplies for the college to come in. He was in the habit of receiving this order every fall, and he had come to regard it as a regular source of income. After a week went by he mentioned the matter to Kathie. She evaded his questioning eyes as she answered him:

"They got the supplies from Sam Green this fall."

"Indeed!" Reuben uttered a note of consternation. "Ah, well," he said, cheerfully recovering himself, "I mustn't expect to get all the college trade."

"My dear," he said as Kathie was starting away next morning, "if the opportunity comes you might let the young ladies know that I've an exceptionally fine assortment of laces and veils this season."

The girls did not come to buy his veils. Kathie carefully avoided speaking of them. In fact, she diverted such bits of trade as she knew of to the other stores.

As the days went by Reuben's genial old face took on a graveness new to it. He was not selling his goods, and that meant he was not supporting his household. The little shop did not yield large enough profits to lay anything aside.

"Don't worry, grandpa, if you do go a little into debt," Kathie said one evening. "If it seems best after all for me to take the Nestor school I can easily save something from my salary to pay up here."

Reuben gave a little sigh. Presently he got up and took an old mariner's compass down from a shelf. The instrument was closely associated with his days of vigorous manhood.

Kathie watched him. "Grandpa's failing!" she declared. And she told herself that it was well that just at the right moment she had been able to take matters into her own hands. She would not acknowledge to herself that her determined young will, overmastering her grandfather's, was breaking him.

"Grandpa," she said, looking up from her studies one evening, "there's the dearest little house that Jennie says we can get at Nestor. It has a lovely garden for your flowers next summer."

Reuben made no reply. He did not look at Kathie. He sat with his eyes fixed on his compass. All at once he made a last desperate move to hold the ground which was shifting from under his feet. He got up, put on his hat and coat, tucked his compass under his arm and went out. Kathie called after him, but he did not answer.

In about an hour he returned, however, still carrying his compass. He set it upon the table, still with a pathetic little smile.

"I guess," he said, pointing to the instrument, "that we've gone out of fashion together. Sam Green says it would only sell for old junk. I thought maybe if I could raise some money with it I'd put an advertisement for the shop in the newspaper."

"Now, don't you worry about that shop any more, grandpa!" Kathie cried energetically. "Just sit down here by the fire and drink this hot milk."

Reuben took the cup obediently. He drank the milk, but he did not relish it much.

Kathie was a good scholar. She graduated with honors just before the holidays. The 1st of January she was to go to Nestor to make final arrangements about the school and to engage the little house she and Jennie Fry had spoken of so often. The day before she planned to go to Nestor Jennie came in to talk matters over.

Reuben, hearing the girls talking, had slipped into the sitting room from his



"GOOD AFTERNOON, MR. MARSH."

shop and listened to the conversation. He had been quite dropped out of family consultations lately.

After Jennie left Reuben went slowly away again to his shop. Kathie was busily packing a little later when she heard the shop door bell ring. The bell rang whenever the door was opened. Presently it rang again. "Grandpa seems to be having customers," thought Kathie. She was surprised a moment later to hear a third ring. Not long after there came a fourth ring, then a fifth.

"Well!" ejaculated Kathie.

She laid down her work and, opening the sitting room door on a crack, peeped into the shop. She could not see the customers, but her grandfather was talking to them animatedly.

"Who are the people?" thought Kathie.

"Yes, sir," Reuben was saying. "Just one moment, please, until I wait on this gentleman. Yes, indeed; take it to the light and examine it. Now, madam, this is the sample. Here is the very thing; not a shade of difference. You'll take three yards of the wide? Yes, yes, ma'am; I'm pretty busy. You see, I'm all alone just now. My granddaughter has stepped out on an errand, but she'll be in presently and help wait on my customers. Oh, indeed, she helps in the shop considerably. We keep our little business together. Kathie's a good girl, a very capable girl, and she turned to with a will to work in the shop when she finished school. Yes, ma'am, she stood by her old grandfather. She remembered how he'd stood by her ever since she was a baby. She was a weakly child, ma'am. Her mother and I used to walk the floor half the night with her sometimes when she was teething. She used to like to creep about the shop here when she was a little mite. Yes'm, we've always lived in this house. You see, I am too old to go away now. An old man is like a tree with deep roots; he can't be transplanted easily. And so we're going to stick to the little shop still. There, ma'am, is your parcel. Now, what can I do for you, sir?"

Kathie's face was a study of scarlet bewilderment.

"Who is grandpa talking to?" she murmured, and, overcome with curiosity, she stuck her head quite into the shop.

Save for Reuben it was empty. The old man, standing behind his counter, holding up this article and that, tying up packages, opening boxes, chattering away entertainingly, was waiting on a shopful of purely imaginary customers.

Kathie realized the soul of the situation with a hard pang. The scalding tears sprang to her eyes.

"It's a tragedy!" she said.

With a little sob she softly closed the door and ran to her own room. She threw on her things and hurried out of the house by the back way. She had seen John Tracy, the young drummer from whom her grandfather bought goods, on the street that morning.

"John's in town, and he'll help me," she thought.

John was readily found at Sam Green's. After talking with him a few minutes Kathie hurried back home.

There had been a long lull in the ringing of the shop bell, but after awhile it began again—once, twice, three times!

Kathie dropped her work excitedly and ran into the shop.

Her grandfather had fallen into a quiet reverie. When the bell rang he looked across the counter without changing his expression. John Tracy and two other men had come in, but old Reuben fancied them his customers—still the creatures of his recent dream. It was not until John spoke that he roused up.

"Good afternoon, Mr. Marsh," John said brightly. "I've brought some of my friends around to look at your neckties. I expect we'll all want a few of them."

"Hey?" said old Reuben. "Ah, yes, yes!" He turned to the shelves bewildered.

"Here they are, grandpa," said Kathie at his elbow. "And, see, there come Sallie Vane and Nettie Thurston. They want some veils, I know. Oh, see what a lot of people are coming!"

All that afternoon until dark the shop bell kept ringing. Kathie stood at her grandfather's side measuring goods and showing articles. Some of the people that came in bought goods; some merely asked to see them.

"Go to Marsh's, anyhow," John told every one he met, "even if you just look at something. It will encourage the old fellow."

When the shutter was set up at 6 o'clock Kathie threw her strong, penitent arms about Reuben's neck.

"Grandpa," she cried, "trade's picking up. We can never leave this, of course. Why, we'd always feel that we'd risked a fortune if we left here now for Nestor. I'll write Mr. Fry tonight that we can't possibly give up our business for the school. There are forty teachers he can get instead of me."

Reuben's face was like a ruddy old apple when he blew out the shop lamp and walked into the sitting room for supper.

"No need of you leaving home to teach just yet, Kathie, child," he chuckled cheerfully. "I'll just pilot this craft for us both awhile longer."

"And I'll just keep my hand on the rudder and do what I can to make it go straight," thought Kathie, planning how she and John should dress up the shop window the next day.

E. H. CONGER TO RETIRE

Minister to China Will Be Succeeded in December by W. W. Rockhill, Authority on Orient.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Edwin H. Conger, for years United States minister to China, will retire from that position and from the diplomatic service in December and will be succeeded by W. W. Rockhill, at present chief of the bureau of American republics at Washington.

It has been the intention of Conger for several months to retire from the service of the government, and when lately he made this intention known to the department of state Rockhill was chosen to succeed him. Rockhill is an authority on Chinese and Far Eastern affairs. He will start for China immediately after election.

FREIGHT CREW IS HELD

BRAKEMEN STEAL FROM DEAD

Coroner's Jury Fixes Responsibility of Disaster on Missouri Pacific on Train Men.

Warrensburg, Mo., Oct. 12. — The crew of the extra freight train which collided with the Missouri Pacific World's fair train, resulting in the death of twenty-nine persons, is held responsible for the disaster by the coroner's jury, which returned a verdict last night. The verdict charges the crew with disobeying orders and with being asleep at their post of duty. No recommendation was made as to the prosecution of the train crew.

County Prosecuting Attorney Morrow said after the inquest that he would immediately begin the prosecution of the persons charged with the responsibility of the wreck by the coroner's jury. The examination of W. W. McVey, night operator at Montserrat brought out the fact that the train dispatcher at Sedalia ordered out wrecking crews, section men and doctors before the two trains came together.

Jefferson City, Mo., Oct. 12.—E. C. Zeigler and L. A. Haynes, brakemen on the freight train which crashed into a Missouri Pacific World's fair train near Warrensburg, Mo., killing twenty-nine persons, were arrested here on warrants charging them with stealing $37 from the body of a fellow brakeman named Seidel, who was killed. A blood-stained railroad ticket, issued to James England, of Dexter, Kan., was found in the pocket of one of the men under arrest. Zeigler and Haynes are among those accused by the Warrensburg coroner's jury as responsible for the wreck.

TO SUPPRESS LYNCHING

United States Judge in Alabama Says It Is Within Power of Federal Courts to Protect Negroes.

Huntsville, Ala., Oct. 12.—The intervention of the federal court to suppress lynchings in the south and its power to punish members of mobs for slaying negroes solely because of racial prejudice and in violation of the constitution were principles enunciated by United States Judge Thomas G. Jones in charging the federal grand jury yesterday.

For the first time in criminal legal procedure in the south, Judge Jones maintained that it was within the power of the federal courts to prevent white men from lynching negroes in violation of rights guaranteed colored citizens of the United States under the fourteenth amendment to the constitution. The jury had completed its investigation of the facts in connection with the overpowering of the state troops and lynching of Maples. The judge in delivering his charge discussed the authority under which offenses of the kind may be punished.

Lawyer Ends His Life.

Madisonville, Ky., Oct. 12. — R. M. Salmon, one of the leading attorneys of this place and former county attorney of Hopkins county, locked himself in his law office and committed suicide by shooting his brains out with a revolver. He was widely known and was very prominent in politics. The cause for his committing the deed is not known.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

Secretary Morton and Former Secretary of War Elihu Root dined with President and Mrs. Roosevelt at the White House last night.

Miss Adele Aus der Ohe, the pianist, has arrived in New York on the steamer Koenig Albert from Bremen.

Governor Aaron T. Bliss, of Michigan, and his party of forty-five, has arrived at St. Louis to participate in the celebration of Michigan Day.

Baron Sternburg, the German ambassador, has introduced to the president Marco Graf von Ballestrem, an officer of the Germany army, who is making a tour of this country.

BLOODY BATTLE IS NOW RAGING

Russians Cross Schili River and Get Within Three Miles of Yentai.

CONFLICT IS YET UNDECIDED

Japanese Receive Strong Reinforcements and Fight So Fiercely That Muscovites Fall Back.

Mukden, Oct. 12.—A bloody battle is now raging about six miles north of Yentai railroad station. The Japanese on Sunday fell back along the whole front and the Russian advance guards crossed the Schili river (about half way between Mukden and Liaoyang), and came within three miles of Yentai, but the Japanese received reinforcements of infantry and artillery and not only held their positions but even assumed the offensive. The fighting lasted the entire day and night. The Japanese directed their artillery fire with great skill and searched the Russian positions so fiercely that the Russians fell back north of the Schili river, which crosses the railroad seven miles from Yentai. The Russians yesterday morning resumed their advance, once more crossing the Schili river and engaged the Japanese two miles south of it. A terrific artillery engagement is proceeding along the entire front. The result of the battle is still undecided.

Not a General Engagement.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 12, 2:10 A. M.—Severe fighting north of Yentai resulting in a temporary check of General Kuropatkin's advance guard, of which the Associated Press correspondent at Mukden, telegraphed the first news, is not regarded at the war office as indicating a general engagement. The latest official dispatches indicating the disposition of the various corps show that the whole army is not yet in line of battle. The present engagement may therefore be regarded as the result of a counter attack which an enterprising foe like the Japanese might be expected to make, but without any calculation to prevent the Russian advance. General Kuropatkin's present superiority in numbers, it is held here, is bound sooner or later to compel the Japanese to fall back upon their strong positions within the triangle formed by Yentai, Liaoyang and Sykwantun. Everything points to that district as being the prospective scene of the decisive struggle of this year's campaign.

Picking Their Ground.

Strategic reasons of the most weighty character render it imperative for the Russians, as well as for the Japanese, to bestow their chief attention upon the country east of the railway. The Russians are compelled to this course because the railroad runs northeastward and hence lines of communication are more vulnerable from the east. The Japanese are influenced by a similar consideration, but the railroad no longer plays a foremost part in their plans. In view of the approaching close of navigation at Yinkow and of the fact that the line from Pitsewo is long and cumbersome and liable to interruption they must consider Fengwangcheng and Takushan as the source of supplies during the winter, and with this in view the eastern communications of Liaoyang are of the utmost importance.

Must Hold Triangle.

The Yentai triangle is admirably situated to protect them. Field Marshal Oyama must therefore hold this triangle at all costs. The problem confronting General Kuropatkin in the immediate future is the capture of the fortified heights composing this triangle, where the Japanese will have the advantage of fighting behind breastworks and utilizing their superiority in mountain guns. The general superiority of the Japanese in mountain operations is conceded. The Russian commander undoubtedly is aware of the difficulties of the task before him, has measured them well, and is confident of his ability to overcome them.

Wants More Men.

If General Kuropatkin possessed an army of half a million men he could leave a sufficient force to attack the triangle while he moved with the remainder around the eastern and western flanks. This is considered in the best informed circles at the war office to be impracticable with the numbers now composing General Kuropatkin's army, and a frontal advance is the only alternative. Operations, however, are likely to be marked by feints on the right and left. The Japanese probably will make similar movements until both armies become involved in a death struggle.

Baltic Fleet to Sail Oct. 14.

Copenhagen, Oct. 12. — The Associated Press learns from an excellent source that the Russian Baltic fleet will leave Libau Oct. 14 and pass through Danish waters Oct. 16. High Russian naval officers have arrived here and will investigate the Danish waters before the passage of the fleet.

GUNBOAT BLOWN UP

Hei Yen Strikes a Mine and Sinks with 197 Men.

Tokio, Oct. 12.—The Japanese gunboat Hei Yen struck a mine in Pigeon bay, west of Port Arthur, Sept. 18 and sank. Only four of her crew were rescued. Nearly 197 persons, her entire complement, were drowned. Two petty officers and two sailors managed to reach Chiaopai island, from which they were rescued. The Hei Yen, which was engaged on guard duty off Pigeon bay, was missed by the fleet, and a search for the vessel was begun. The petty officers and sailors found on Chiaopai island reported that at dusk Sept. 18 a storm came up, accompanied by high seas. The Hei Yen endeavored to return to her base, when she suddenly struck a floating mine, which exploded under her starboard side amidships. The vessel began to sink, and an attempt was made to lower the boats. The boats were swamped and the men jumped into the sea, where, owing to the heavy combers, they were drowned. An official announcement of the disaster issued says:

"It is highly regrettable that no report in any form has been received of the fate of the other survivors. The sad event was made worse by the weather, which must have added greatly to the awful result caused by the explosion of the mine." The Hei Yen's complement was 300 officers and men. Eleven of the crew had previously been detached for special duty.

The Hei Yen was of 2,067 tons displacement and 2,400 indicated horse power and could steam about ten knots. She was captured by the Chinese from the Chinese at Wei-Hai-Wei during the war between China and Japan. The Hei Yen carried a crew

Composition of Baltic Fleet.

Paris, Oct. 12.—The Echo de Paris' St. Petersburg correspondent learns from what he believes to be a reliable new fleet which is to sail from the Baltic for the Far East and which is as follows: The battleships Oslanhia, Sissoi Veliky, Navarin, Borodino, Alexander III, Orel and Prince Souvaroff; the cruisers Almaz, Zemtchug, Izumrud, Admiral Nikhinoff, Dmitri Donskoi, Oleg, Aurora and Svetlana, nine destroyers and ten big transports. The fleet will divide off the Spanish coast, one squadron going by way of the Suez canal and the other around Cape Horn, reuniting at a prearranged point in the Indian ocean.

Admiral Is Promoted.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 12, 7:40 A. M.—The Official Messenger has announced the appointment of Vice Admiral Bezobrazoff, commander from the first squadron of the Pacific fleet, to be senior admiral of the Baltic fleet, and of Rear Admiral Haupt, naval commander at the port of Vladivostok, to be junior admiral of the Baltic fleet. Rear Admiral Greve will succeed Rear Admiral Haupt as commander at the port of Vladivostok. Admiral Jessen will assume command of the first Pacific squadron.

Li Hung Chang Predicted War.

London, Oct. 12.—The Times publishes the summary of a letter alleged to have been written by Li Hung Chang shortly before his death, predicting that little harm would come from allowing the Russians to hold Manchuria, because it would lead to war between Russia and Japan and then China, by espousing the winning side, would be able to recover Manchuria.

CORRESPONDENTS RETURN

Say That the Russian Army at Present in Manchuria Is No Match for the Japanese.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 12. — By the Canadian Pacific steamer Empress of Japan there arrived from Japan Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harding Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Palmer, E. F. Knight, of London and George Lynch, also of London. Knight will return to the front next spring. He and Frederick Palmer were with General Kuroki's army in the Liaoyang campaign and speak highly of the treatment they received from the Japanese staff.

Both Knight and Palmer say that if Kuropatkin persists in his southward movement they believe he will have his armies cut to pieces. The two correspondents say the Russian force at present in Manchuria is no match for the Japanese and that a succession of Russian disasters may be confidently expected for a good while yet.

GHASTLY CRIME COMMITTED

Obi Men in St. Lucia Kill White Child and Divide Body Between Them.

Kingstown, St. Vincent, Oct. 12.—Barbarous superstition which prevails among a portion of the population of West Indian islands is the basis of a ghastly and extraordinary crime that has come to light in the island of St. Lucia.

The finding of the heart and hands of a white child in the possession of an obi man (a negro sorcerer) led to the discovery that the child had been murdered and the body mutilated in order that superstitious natives might, through possession of portions of the body, be able to work spells.

Another Wreck in Missouri.

Chillicothe, Mo., Oct. 12. — Two Wabash freight trains westbound, collided rear-end, near here, and George Runyon, of Moberly, Mo., conductor of one of them, was killed. Runyon was in charge of a train standing on the main track and should have flagged an approaching train, but is believed to have been asleep in the caboose, which was demolished by the locomotive of the following train.

Postal Receipts Show Increase.

Washington, Oct. 12. — The gross postal receipts for September, 1904, as compared with the receipts for 1903 at the fifty largest postoffices in the United States show a total of $5,905,969, a net increase of $397,380, or over 7 per cent.

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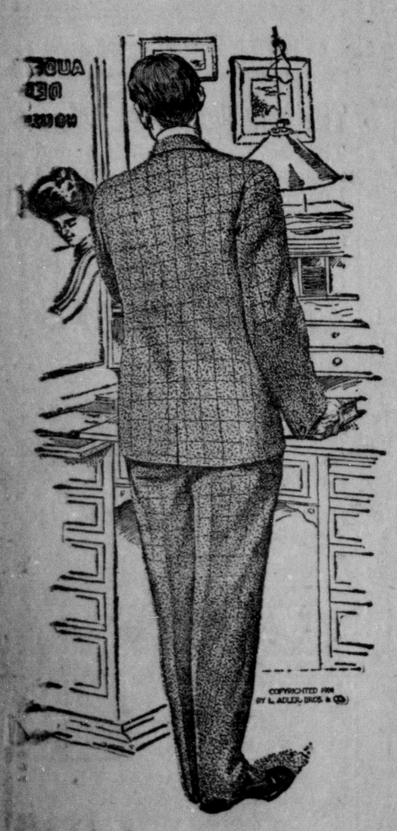
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POLITICAL DATES.

Oct. 8—Col. C. G. Bradshaw at Pawpaw.
Oct. 11—Governor Yates at Prophetstown.
Oct. 12—Charles S. Deneen at Dixon.
Oct. 20—Senator Cullom at Amboy.
Oct. 18, Nov. 1—Registration days.
Nov. 8—Election day.

A Philadelphia man is charged with having paid $6 to have his wife murdered. These frugal Quakers are extravagant in some things.

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This new Russian commander, General Grippenberg, whom the Czar is sending to the front—hasn't he an ice name to begin the winter with.

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It is formally denied that Mr. Bryan and Mr. Cleveland are to speak together in the campaign. It is said that they have not spoken for years.

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A man of the name of Whaley recently failed with liabilities of $1,000,000 and assets of $1,200. He must have been an expert in double entry bookkeeping.

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Is there anything conceivably more atrocious than the recent sale by a firm of Camden, N. J. to the U S. Government of six hundred life preservers each one of which was found to contain a bar of iron six inches in length imbedded in the six pounds of compressed cork required by law in each life-preserver? Accident revealed the presence in one of the cheap substitute for cork, which is known to be expensive, and on examination of the whole consignment was found to be so loaded. What extreme limit of the law can be made to apply to such fiendish devotees of commercialism?

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ASSAILING THE TARIFF.

Signs increase that the Democratic leaders are determined to force the tariff issue to the front in the presidential campaign. While Republicans will welcome the discussion of this question, well knowing that it is sure to add many thousand of votes to their majorities, they cannot but regret the selection of the tariff as the main issue, because of the unfortunate influence it will have upon the business interests of the country.

So far this year the presidential campaign has not blocked business and financial activity. Affairs proceed as usual. In all lines of business there is a hopefulness and confidence which is most encouraging. But if the country is to be confronted with another visitation of tariff revision agitation, with even a remote chance of success in the election, there is bound to be a great slump in the industrial world and a corresponding depression in all business interests.

It is well remembered what happened ten years ago, when, as President Roosevelt put in, "the last attempt was made by means of lowering the tariff to prevent some people from prospering too much. The attempt was entirely successful. The tariff law of that year was among the causes which in that year and for some time afterward effectually prevented anybody from prospering at all. Undoubtedly it would be possible at the present time to prevent any of the trusts from remaining prosperous by the simple expedient of making such a sweeping change in the tariff as to paralyze the industries of the country."

The people of the United States will not soon court again the destruction and panic of 1893. Once is enough for one generation. There will be a tremendous vote against tariff legislation by the Democrats.

The confidence of the country may stand even throughout a tariff revision campaign, but it is risking a good deal to raise that issue in the manner contemplated. They, however, have everything to gain and nothing to lose. They must have something to stand upon, and complete failure in every other attack made upon the republican position has driven them upon the tariff as a standing outpost of republicanism which can always be assailed, when nothing else affords a convenient target.

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CARL SCHURZ IDEA.

Carl Schurz has written a letter in which he advocates the election of Judge Parker on the ground that the government control should pass from one party to another, and that Roosevelt's character has changed entirely from what it was when he was when he was first chosen president. When McKinley died the democrats insisted that Roosevelt would be bumptious, headstrong, regardless of the rights of others, bulheaded and solely intent on having his own way. But the intoxication of power that ruins most people sobered Theodore. His friends found him the very reverse of what has been feared. He was willing to listen to advice, he was prudent, moderate, but insistent upon good order, purity in the management of the government and determined to carry it on in the spirit in which it was founded by the fathers. In dealing with the various questions that came up for consideration, he showed himself fully alive to the highest ideals. In the anthracite coal strike, a weak man would have temporized, a corrupt man would have refused to interfere, a dishonest man would have sought to turn the event to his own advantage. None of these considerations weighed with Roosevelt. He interfered for the working man and the course that he took seemed at that time to mean his own political ruin, but he neither hesitated nor faltered, and the result was that it won him encomiums from people who had hitherto sneered at him as too young to appreciate the responsibilites of his position. Everything that he has since done has been on this high plane and the criticism of Schurz falls flat, because it shows that Carl is simply a disgruntled, captious, fault-finding, disappointed man, who never was able to live up to his own standard.

MOTHER ILL AND BABY DIES

Passes Away While Mother Is Recovering from Operation.

That trouble never comes singly was borne out Monday, when A. J. Carlson of Oregon, whose wife is at St Anthony hospital in Rockford where she underwent an operation last week, arrived in the city with the sad news of the death of their baby at an early hour in the morning.

When it became necessary to take Mrs. Carlson to the hospital in that city, her four month old baby was left in care of her parents. For sustenance, the little one was given milk and in it lurked the cause of the baby's death. The child was taken suddenly and seriously ill Sunday and its death, from ptomaine poisoning in milk, occurred early Monday morning.

Added to the sadness resultant from death, is the fact that owing to the weakened condition of the mother, who is recovering nicely from the operation she underwent, the news of the death of her baby has not been broken to her for fear it might result seriously.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Rev. Rutherford Made Address at Presbyterian Church Last Night.

The second service of Holy Week at the Presbyterian church was more largely attended than on the preceding night. Rev. W. L. Rutherford spoke from Col. 1:9-14, "God's Message," said the speaker, is that they should be filled with the knowledge of His will, which leads to obedience. If all men had this knowledge the churches would not contain the crowds. But this knowledge is of no value unless it leads us to do God's will. In doing His will we shall be strengthened for a patient endurance of all sorrow, and thus be witnesses of His love and mercy."

Mr Rutherford dwelt at length on the practical bearing of this truth on life and character. It was a strong message forcibly put and touched all hearts present with its spirit of consecration not soon to be forgotten.

Tonight Dr. Crowl of Sterling, or the pastor, will preach. A larger audience should gather this evening. Everybody Welcome.

Wallace Hicks Buys an Automobile.

Wallace Hicks of Bradford township has purchased from S. S. Dodge a 1904 Oldsmobile runabout. Yesterday after noon he took posession and drove it to his home north of Lee Center. Mr. Hicks is a prosperous and well known citizen of the east end of the county who enjoys life as he goes.

Joe Vail Sells Truck Outfit.

Joe Vail has sold his trucking outfit to O. E. Kidney.

ROCKFORD III OUSTED

At Springfield Meeting Peoria Was Taken Into the League In Its Place.

ANOTHER LEAGUE IS PROPOSED

Rockford Men Would Put Dixon in New List,

Springfield, Ill, Oct. 12.—After one of the liveliest meetings ever held in the Three Eye league it was voted here yesterday to oust Rockford from the league and substitute Peoria. Dubuque supported Rockford. Last night there was talk of injunction proceedings being begun by R. H, Welch, an attorney of Rockford, to restrain the league from commencing the season unless Rockford was recognized.

Edward Holland of Bloomington was re-elected president, no opposition developing. James T. Hayes of Davenport was re-elected vice president. It was voted to divide $300 among the clubs from the sinking fund, leaving about $3,500 in the treasury. Rockford will get one-eighth of the league fund, amounting to about $750. The report of President Holland showed that a $110 was collected in fines this season.

The annual banquet of the league was held last night. E. S. Scott of Springfield presided. The League cup, a handsome silver trophy, was preesented Springfield by President Holland. The annual schedule meeting will be held about January 1 in Chicago.

PROPOSE NEWLEAGUE.

Rockford, Ill., Oct. 12.—In regard to Rockford being tossed from the Three Eye league the men here seem disposed to take the matter philosophically. George Wilson has an idea which may be worth while trying to work out. He said today:

"They seem to have thrown us down good and hard. I believe if the right kind of people would go about it, and we've got them here and in other towns, that a league could be organized that would be a better thing all around than what we have been in. Get us a league with such towns as Rockford, Janesville, Elgin, Aurora, Dixon, Freeport, Belvidere, Beloit and others near here to draw from. Then there would be some local pride in the games. Such a league could be run with much less expense than the average one because the teams would all be practically at home. Why, they could all go and come practically on the interurban lines and the expense of transportation, which is a big item, wouldn't amount to anything hardly at all. We could have good ball, too. Call it the Northern Illinois League or the Wisconsin-Illinois League. It would go through all right."

Why wouldn't the Interurban League be a good name?

Entertained With Banquet.

The Thursday Reading Circle royally entertained their friends last night to the number of fifty at the home of Mrs. Frank Ackert.

The occasion was the celebration of their tenth anniversary. The dining table extended the length of the spacious parlors was beautifully decorated with flowers. The menu was excellent and consisted of all the delecacies of the season. After the usual toasts an original poem was read by Mrs. Parks, at the close of which a solid silver spoon with the letter T. R. S. engraved in the bowl was presented by the ladies to their president. Mrs. Chas. Winebrenner, who has served them in that capacity since their organization.

Marrid in Sterling Today.

James Morrisey of Harmon, this county, and Mrs. Margaret Connell of Sterling were united in marriage at 10:30 o'clock this (Wednesday) forenoon at St. Mary's Catholic church in Sterling, Rev. James J. Bennett of ficating. Mr. Morrisey is one of the successful and substantial farmers of Harmon township and the bride is the daughter of Mrs. Durr of Sterling, a woman held in high esteem by all who know her.

Organized Council at Amboy.

H. W. Grant, state deputy for the Knights and Ladies of Security, organized a council at Amboy last evening in the Knights of the Globe hall, with thirty-nine beneficiary and five social members.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barnhart of the Dixon council and seven of the Eldena council assisted Brothers Grant and Fritz in organizing.

Bryan in Illinois.

It is given out by democratic national committeeman, J. G. Johnson, of Nebraska, that Bryan will spend the next to the last week of the campaign stumping Illinois for Parker.

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DEMENT-TOWN DOINGS

Dr. W. R. Parker was in Dementtown t his morning.

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Coleman circus went north on the Illinois Central this morning.

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Miss Dot Munson of DeKalb, is here visiting her brother, C. S. Munson, the restaurateur.

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"Skyrocket" is feeding himself on Quaker oats these days to reduce expenses and weight.

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Some people are so skeptical that they can't believe even what their own conscience tells them.

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William Phillips, the Franklin Grove barber, and his wife, visited in Dement-town yesterday.

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The cement sidewalk on the west side of College avenue from Seventh to Ninth streets was finished today and is a big improvement.

Paint Your House.

This is an excellent time of year to paint your house and the Mound City Red Horseshoe is an excellent brand to do it with. It gives a handsome finish of great durability. All tints and colors for inside or outside house paint, and a barn paint which covers well and is very lasting. Sold only by the Dement-town Pharmacy. F. W. TILLSON, Proprietor.

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This cigar is not a stogy, a cheroot, or a porto Rican imitation cigar, but a well made, good size, clear long Havana filler that tastes like tobacco from the first puff right to the end. It smokes free, with a real Carolina perfecto fragrance, and burns with a solid ash that shows how good a cigar it is.

The "Chico" is warranted to suit any smoker, no matter whether he has been paying 5c, 10c, or a higher price. At any rate it is well worth trying, and Walgren-Davis Co. druggists want all their smoker friends to get the "Chicos" habit.

WOULD ARRAIGN CHAS. DENEEN

Dennis McCarthy of Chicago Says He Was Unjustly Imprisoned.

Dennis McCarthy of Chicago spent today in the city and endeavored unsuccessfully to find a lawyer who would prosecute a civil suit for him against Charles S. Deneen, Republican candidate for governor. McCarthy claims to have been unjustly incarcerated in a Cook county insane asylum and lumps all his troubles on the shoulders of Mr. Deneen as representing in his mind the Chicago city administration. He is about 40 years of age and it is evident his mind is unbalanced. City Attorney John Dornblaser this afternoon succeeded in getting him to promise to leave the city at once and return to Chicago.

—John W. Moore, business manager for "Her Only Sin," starring the noted emotional actress, Julia Gray, is in town making arrangements for the play for next Wednesday night. This play is said to be one of the best and strongest on the road.

REV. CRAVEN RETURNS

Conference Considers Wishes of Dixon Church and He Returns to Pastorate Here.

REV. A. T. HORN PRESIDING ELDER

Will Have Churches of Dixon District Under His Charge

Dixon people will be pleased to learn that Rev. William Craven has been returned to the Dixon charge by the Methodist conference which closed in Chicago today.

Rev. Craven was offered the presiding eldership of either the West Chicago or Dixon district and a committee from the Dixon church waited upon the bishop with the request that if Rev. Craven was given a presiding eldership it might be at the head of the Dixon district so that he could retain his residence here. Rev. Craven, however preferred not to take the office proffered him and wished to remain in charge of the church here, a proof of his attachment to the Dixon church, which feeling is reciprocated by the members of the church.

Rev. A. T. Horn was reappointed presiding elder of Dixon district.

Resolutions were adopted by the conference striking at the divorce evil. A committee will be appointed to petition the legislature, and to join with other churches, in an effort to obtain a uniform divorce law, making it illegal for the guilty party, in the case of a divorce granted on statutory charges, to remarry during the life of the other. A collection of $150 was taken up before the final session was opened.

One important feature in the long list of appointments completed yesterday is the retention of Dr. J. P. Brushingham in the pulpit of the First Methodist church, Clark and Washington streets. Lewis Curts formerly presiding elder of the Dixon district, who was on the supernumerary list last year, and who before that time was occupied in the Methodist Book Concern, is given him as an assistant.

Dr. Martin E. Cady, a former pastor of the Dixon church, is presiding elder of the Chicago Northern district.

Rev. Abel M. White of the Austin Methodist church, was appointed presiding elder of the Chicago western district at the closing session of the Rock River conference, held last night in the Evanston Avenue Methodist church. He will succeed Rev. F. H. Sheets. The appointment was a popular one with the large crowd which filled the church, Bishop W. F. McDowell's announcement of his choice for the post being greeted with vigorous applause. Rev. White has reached his present place in the church against adverse conditions which show the real strength of the man. He was before he entered the ministry a wagon-maker for fourteen years. During his life he had only fourteen months of schooling. When he was 15 years old his father died, and the boy was thrown on his own resources. He was born in Burlington County, New Jersey, fifty-four years ago. When 19 years old he came to Illinois. In 1882 he entered the ministry, and was received into the Rock River conference. His first pastorate was in Sheridan, and subsequently he preached in La Salle, Polo and Morrison. He also was chaplain of the Joliet penitentiary. His present postorate is the First Church of Austin, where he has been for five years. In 1871 Mr. White married Miss Jenks of Sheridan, Ill.

The interesting portion of the session came when Dr. N. H. Axtell of the Sheffield Avenue Church introduced the resolution which practically debars the offending party in a divorce case from marrying again and remaining in the church. There was decided opposition to the resolution, but it was finally adopted. The resolution in part reads as follows:

Marriage and the Sabbath are two divine institutions that have come down out of Eden. Both are foundations of social life, with God and man, and both are bearing the attacks of all agents of impurity and selfishness. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we join with other churches in the endeavor to secure uniform divorce laws for all the states.

Resolved, That to lessen the opportunities to obtain divorce by collusion of husband and wife we urge the incorporation in uniform legislation of such enactments as shall tend to prevent default cases by compelling, as far as possible, the appearance of the defendant for examination by the presiding judge.

Resolved, That we favor the incorporation in such uniform legislation of an enactment prohibiting the remarriage of the guilty matrimonial partner to a divorce decree while the innocent matrimonial partner remains alive.

THE FORCEP FRATERNITY MEET

Sterling is Entertaining the Dental Doctors of Northern Illinois.

The Northern Illinois Dental society is holding a two day session in Sterling commencing today. The meeting gives promise not only of being largely attended but also one of unusual interest. The sessions are held in the Odd Fellows hall and the dental offices in that city and Rock Falls are closed during the convention, the local members of the profession devoting themselves to the work of entertaining their guests.

A number of interesting papers and clinics are on the program. A question of considerable interest to be decided at the business session is "the reorganization of the dental society on lines similar to those carried out by the State Medical society." As the matter now stands the county and district association have no connection with the state society, but if the plans of reorganization, to be considered at the coming meeting, carry, the former would become the representative of the state society and a practitioner could become a member of the state society only by becoming a member of the county society. By the adoption of this plan it is believed that the membership of both the county and state societies would be greatly increased as has been the case with the medical society since a similar plan was adopted.

Concert at Grand Detour.

Smith's Concert company will give a concert in Sheffield hall, Grand Detour, Friday evening, the program embracing mandolin, guitar and violin selections and a large number of moving pictures. The affair will conclude with a social dance.

—Mrs. Harry Freed is quite ill.

—E. H. Ringgenberg of Sterling was calling on Dixon friends yesterday.

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WANT A LIEN LAW

Horseshoers of State Desire Statute Which Will Give Lien on Every Horse Shod

AND PREVENT LOSS TO THEM

Dixon Farriers Held a Meeting on Regard to Matter Last Night.

The Dixon lodge of Master Horseshoers held a meeting last night in regard to the course of action they will take on the lien law which was favorably reported by the recent state convention of the association. It was decided to get out petitions at once and circulate them freely for signatures. The committee on legislation of the state organization is composed Ralph Sellman, Bloomington; O. E. Will, Dixon; F. H. O'Rourks, Peoria; W. H. Anderson, Jacksonville; and Hugh Weightman, Sterling. This committee at their meeting on Labor Day drew up the text of a lien law which with the petitions from every town in the state will be presented to legislature. The members all over the state will use every means practicable to secure the adoption of the bill.

A member of the Dixon local when interviewed this afternoon stated that the horseshoers of the state annually lost large sums through bad debts. The percentage varied in localities and among the followers of the trade, but the aggregate loss throughout the state was up in the hundreds of thousands. This, he explained, would all be prevented by a mechanics lien law, such as is in effect in New York, Oregon and Michigan and which was there found to be a good thing. It gave the horseshoer a lien on every horse shod until the bill was paid. Several of the local members have lost considerable through bad debts and the experience is not a pleasant one. As it is believed by the horseshoers that their cause is just and their request reasonable no opposition is looked for.

The officers of the local Horseshoers' Protective Association consist of:
President—O. E. Wild.
Vice President—Bob Adams.
Cor. Sec.—F. E. Self.
Fin. Sec.—Paul G. Lord.

ELKS' COUNTY FAIR

Begins Monday Night at the G. G. Rosbrook Hall With Many Novel Features.

COMMITTEE GOES TO STERLING

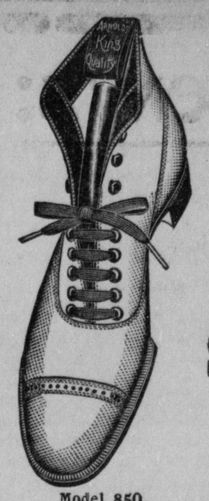
To Arrange for a Program on Sterling Night by Sterling Talent.

The Elks are laying many plans to insure a big success for the county fair which they will initiate at the G. G. Rosbrook hall next Monday evening. It will continue for a week and as every Elk is a committee of one to boost, it will be a big event socially and financially. As its name indicates it will be modeled after the old fashioned county seat fairs and everything at these well-remembered places of amusement will find its prototype at Rosbrook's hall next week. There will be a wheel of fortune, for instance, presided over by Gus Demorest, but this will be a novelty in that every paddle means a prize. You can't lose. Then there will be the cane racks and their trial of skill. Over in the corner will be Doc. Owens and his fish pond. Gold watches will be part of the bait at the pond which the public will angle for. There will be several refreshment booths. In one will be found Chas. F. Ball making his celebrated clam chowder and dishing it up in appetizing style. In another lemonade and pop will be served. The restaurant counter will be a drawing card and so will the candy booth. The German Band will play an engagement and Managers H. U. Bardwell and Z. W. Moss have agreed to put on a side show for one evening at least. A committee will go to Sterling tonight to arrange for a program of an hour's duration by Sterling talent for one evening.

Auctioneer Pitman of Sterling will preside at the various auctions scheduled. He is a whirlwind and will furnish an evening's entertainment himself. Then there is Happy Hooligan, who as a trick bicyclist is well remembered for his visit last summer. There are many other pleasing novelties which will be made known later.

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TRIES TO END HER LIFE

Girl, 17 Years Old, Makes Unsuccessful Attempts to Commit Suicide.

RAILROAD MAN IS INVOLVED

Flees Town of Geneva and Thus Escapes Wrath of Jeffie Abel's Relatives—Items.

Geneva, Ill., Oct. 12.—Two attempts at suicide by a young girl and the disappearnce of a prominent railroad man are the basis of much gossip in this place. That the attempts at suicide and the disappearance have a connection is certain, but whether the disappearnce was due to fear of harm at the hands of the girl's relatives is a subject of speculation.

Tries to End Life.

It is known that Jeffie Abel, 17 years old, tried to end her life on two occasions. She tried to hang herself, but was discovered before she could carry out her intention. It was thought that she would make a second effort to kill herself, and a careful watch over her movements was kept. Despite all precautions, however, she obtained carbolic acid and again sought to end her life. She was prevented from swallowing the poison, it is said, duly after a determined struggle with her rescuers.

Railroad Man Involved,

Then whispers began to connect the girl's courting of death with an employe of a railroad holding an important position. No one in Geneva can, or will, tell when the first breath of suspicion touched him. He did not seem to know gossips were bandying his name to and fro and that it was being linked with that of Jeffie Abel. Members of the family of the young girl heard of the rumors being spread through the neighborhood. They made inquiries and what they learned recently aroused them to a vengeful state of mind.

Warned to Leave Town.

And still the railroad man either ignored on was ignorant of the situation. It is claimed he first became alarmed when a friend warned him that he either must leave the city or run the risk of losing his life. Members of the family so far as is known had not made any threats against his life to this time.

Relatives Plan Revenge.

He became alarmed and disappeared. The girl's relatives did not learn of this, however, until nearly twenty-four hours after he had gone. It is said he was expected at the Abel home and that he was to have been confronted and stern measures taken. It is believed he has fled to the Pacific coast.

GIRL EXTORTIONIST CAPTURED

Two Pretty Fugitives Who Leaped from Reformatory Window at Elgin Found.

Elgin, Ill., Oct. 12.—Pretty 17-year-old May Randall, who, in company with Jennie Werdle, 16 years old, escaped, by jumping out of a second-story window, from the state reformatory at Elgin, Ill., where she was confined for attempting to blackmail C. C. Cook, Elgin, Ill., millionaire publisher, was captured with Miss Werdle on the outskirts of Aurora, Ill. They are now on their way back to the reformatory.

When arrested the girls were almost famished. They told the officers they had nothing to eat from the time they made their daring leap until their capture.

Girls Get Fourteen Years.

Belleville, Ill., Oct. 12.—After being out fourteen hours a jury in the Belleville circuit court has returned a verdict finding Nellie Gardner and Mabel Wright guilty of complicity in the murder of John Dunlap and fixed their punishment at fourteen years each in the penitentiary. The girls are 18 years old and in view of the fact that the charge was only constructive complicity some surprise was expressed over the severity of the sentence.

Boys Drown in River.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 12.—A special to The Journal from Kingston Mines says that while attempting to cross the river in a skiff, near that place, three boys were drowned in the river. At noon two bodies had been recovered. The dead are: Albert Green, Charles Green and Charles Pearson. A storm came up while the boys were in midstream and their boat was overturned before they could reach the shore.

Plant Is Shut Down.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 12.—The plant of the Century Coal company at Tower Hill has been closed down indefinitely throwing out of employment 200 miners. Only the pump men are at work. The operators recently have had considerable trouble with the miners over their scale of wages.

Used Mails to Defraud.

Cairo, Ill., Oct. 12.—James Tobin was convicted in the United States court here on the charge of using the mails to defraud, and was sentenced to a term in the penitentiary. Tobin's victims were Chicago real estate men.

Dies at Comrade's Grave.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 12. — Joseph H. Gutzmiller, while attending the burial of John Hart at Virden, dropped dead by the open grave. Gitzmiller and Hart were comrades during the civil war.

ROBS PULLMAN PASSENGERS

James C. Rumsey Chloroforms a Dozen and Take Their Money and Jewelry.

Sedalia, Mo., Oct. 12.—James C. Rumsey, alias Frank Jackson, alias "Chief Jess," aged 23 years, was arrested here charged with robbing the passengers of the Pullman car Annadale, which entered at the Missouri, Kansas and Texas station in this city. He chloroformed the dozen passengers in the car, robbed them of their money and jewelry and when the train reached Franklin Junction, he jumped from a car window and escaped with his booty.

Rumsey returned here and was arrested while attempting to pawn some of the stolen goods. Money and valuables aggregating several hundred dollars were recovered from an express office, where Rumsey had consigned them to Frank Jackson, Chicago. Rumsey, who was faultlessly attired, made a detailed confession after his arrest. Among other things he admitted having deserted from the Twenty-Eighth United States infantry at San Francisco a few weeks ago. He says that he is wanted in both San Francisco and Chicago.

BIG CONCERN FAILS

Receiver Appointed for Glove Manufacturers with Liabilities of $500,000.

New York, Oct. 12.—Schwartz, Schiffer & Co., glove manufacturers of 949 Broadway, with a factory at Gloversville, N. Y., were petitioned into bankruptcy. It is one of the leading firms in the trade and the liabilities are reported to be $500,000. The petition was filed against them by Arthur Mayer, attorney for the following creditors: Nathan Weil, $14,387; David Oppenheimer, $2,500.

Otto Horwitz, attorney for the firm, said that the failure was chiefly caused by the disastrous strike at their factory which began on Dec. 20, 1903, and continued to June 29, 1904. Judge Helt, of the United States district court, appointed Leo Frank receiver of the assets.

Bulgarians Slay Greeks.

Athens, Oct. 12.—Hardly a day passes without assassinations of Greeks by Bulgarian being reported from Macedonia. In the village of Brot near Monastair an orthodox priest was murdered while he was celebrating mass, and his wife was burnt alive in her house. A Greek notable was also assassinated in the church. The object of these crimes is to terrorize Greeks into declaring themselves to be members of the Bulgarian committees, thereby seeking to make the Bulgarian element appear predominant.

English Champion Beaten.

Philadelphia, Oct. 12.—Miss Charlotte Dod, the English premier golfing expert, met with defeat at the hands of Miss Pauline Mackay, hailing from the Oakley Country club, of Boston, on the first day's play of the women's national golf championship by 2 up and 1 to play.

Lord Milner Resigns.

London, Oct. 12.—Lord Milner has resigned the high commissionership of South Africa because of ill health, brought about by the prolonged strain in grappling with the situation, which is daily becoming more difficult, owing to the financial and racial troubles of the country.

Lady Curzon's Condition Unchanged.

Walmer Castle, Kent, Oct. 12.—The night bulletin merely stated that Lady Curzon's condition continued unchanged since yesterday morning, but it is understood that the patient had a rather serious relapse, causing considerable anxiety.

THE WEATHER

Illinois—Generally fair; warmer in north portion; variable winds.

Indiana—Generally fair; fresh northwest winds becoming variable.

Lower Michigan—Fair; fresh northerly winds becoming variable.

Iowa—Fair; rising temperature; variable winds.

Wisconsin—Generally fair; warmer in west portion; variable winds.

THE MARKETS

Chicago Grain.

Chicago, Oct. 11.

Following were the quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
December	$1.08⅛	$1.09¼	$1.07⅝	$1.09
May	1.08¾	1.09⅝	1.07¾	1.09⅝
Corn—				
December	.47¾	.48½	.47½	.48⅛
May	.45⅝	.46	.45⅛	.45⅝
July	.45⅛	.45¼	.45	.45⅛
Oats—				
December	.29½	.29½	.28¾	.29⅛
May	.31¾	.31¾	.31½	.31½
Pork—				
October	11.02½	11.10	11.00	11.10
December	11.15	11.30	11.15	11.25
January	12.57½	12.75	12.55	12.75
Lard—				
October	7.47½	7.50	7.47½	7.50
January	7.37½	7.40	7.30	7.40
Short Ribs—				
October	7.50	7.60	7.50	7.57½
January	6.62½	6.65	6.57½	6.65

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Oct. 11.

Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 16,000. Sales ranged at $5.00@5.70 for pigs, $5.45@5.95 for light, $5.30@5.50 for rough packing, $5.45@6.07½ for mixed, and $5.55@6.06 for heavy packing and shipping lots, with the bulk of the trading at $5.65@5.95 for fair to good averages.

Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day, 14,000. Quotations ranged at $6.25@6.60 for extra steers, $5.55@6.20 for good to choice steers, $5.60@6.20 for good to fancy yearlings, $4.50@6.00 for corn-fed western steers, $3.90@5.00 for choice cows and heifers, $1.50@4.50 for bulls, oxen and stags, $2.75@4.50 for poor to choice Texas steers, and $5.00@7.50 for native veal calves.

Sheep—Estimated receipts for the day, 40,000. Quotations ranged at $4.00@4.20 for good to prime export wethers, $3.25@4.00 for medium to good native sheep, $2.70@4.30 for good to fancy native lambs, and $3.80@5.40 for western range lambs.

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A DOZEN TIMES A NIGHT.

Mr. Owen Dunn, of Benton Ferry, W. Va., writes: "I have had kidney and bladder trouble for years, and it became so bad that I was obliged to get up at least a dozen times a night I never received any permanent benefit from any medicine until I tried Foley's Kidney Cure. After using two bottles, I am cured." Rowland Bros.

ONE OF MANY.

H. A. Tisdale, of Summerton, S. C., suffered for twenty years with the Piles: Specialists were employed and many remedies used but relief and permanent good was found only in the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve This is only one of the many, many cures that have been effected by this wonderful remedy. In buying Witch Hazel Salve it is only necessary to see that you get the genuine DeWitt's, made by E. C. DeWitt & Co. in Chicago, and a cure is certain. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures all kinds of piles, cuts, bruises, eczema, tetter, ringworm, skin diseases, etc. Sold by Rowland Bros.

J. B. Taylor of Carlesman, Tex., was seriously diseased with kidney and bladder trouble for 20 years. He tested every known remedy without much benefit, until he used Pinules. This new discovery cured him, and Mr. Taylor advises all persons suffering from kidney or bladder trouble to get a bottle of Pineules at once. Sold by Rowland Bros' Drug Store.

Bee's Honey and Tar is different from all other remedies offered for the relief of cough, lung and bronchial troubles. It contains Antiseptic properties that destroy the germs, and Solvent properties that cut the phlegm, allowing it to be thrown off, moves the bowels gently. Cures Croup, Whooping Cough and Cold in one night. Rowland Bros' Dru Store.

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That awful grinding, stabbing pain in the back is from the kidneys. A dose of Pineules will cure it over night. Pineules is a new discovery put up in new way. A delightful remedy and specific for all Kidney and Bladder troubles. Sold by Rowland Bros' Drug Store.

BRONCHITIS FOR TWENTY YEARS.

Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill., writes: "I had bronchitis for twenty years and never got relief until I used Foley's Honey and Tar which is a sure cure." Rowland Bros.

Dr. Dade's Little Liver Pills cure Liver ills. Sold by Rowland Bros Drug Store.

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HAMLET'S MALADY.

A Study of the Melancholy Dane and His Moods.

The tragedy of Hamlet is that a man of a peculiar introspective temperament is called upon to settle a practical crisis. Hamlet knew this very well himself, and that makes the tragedy deeper. Brutus never doubted when once his decision was taken that he was the right man to cure the evils of Rome; Hamlet doubted from the very beginning.

The times are out of joint. O cursed spite
That ever I was born to set them right.

He was too fine, too distinguished, too intellectual, a character to be the rough instrument which fate demanded. He has the fatal malady of analyzing his own motives, which is generally destructive of action. If you once begin asking yourself what will be the results and consequences of a definite act, you will find that at the moment of action your will is paralyzed by excess of scrupulosity, as Hamlet's was when with his drawn sword he saw his uncle praying. It was a disease of will from which Hamlet was suffering. In any other times it would not have been so fatal. In this particular time, when he was called upon to do a specific act—to avenge his father and kill the usurper—it is not he, but a man rather of the Fortinbras build, who will be the savior of society. Observe, too, that, like many intellectual men, he cannot be sure of his own moods. He sees the ghost of his murdered father, but is it an honest ghost, is it really his father's spirit? Hamlet believes in it on the battlements of Elsinore, but he entirely disbelieves it in another mood, when despite the evidences of his senses he talks of "the bourn from which no traveler returns." The traveler who has returned is dismissed apparently as a fantasy of his brain. And these supernatural visitings in such an analytic and introspective mind do not, as a matter of fact, supply him with the motive for his subsequent action. The ghost can make him put on an antic disposition, play with such creatures as Rosencrantz and Guildenstern, deride the senile humorings of Polonius and lessen the torrent of his words against his mother. But what the ghost cannot do is to make him kill his uncle. He murders him at last, more or less accidentally, because his mother was poisoned and Laertes had played foul in the fencing bout. So curiously destructive of strong, practical volition is an intellectual malady when it has grown morbid—the tendency toward introspection, self analysis, metaphysical speculation.—W. L. Courtenay in National Review.

A BUDGET OF MAXIMS.

Rather than say nothing, men are content to speak ill of themselves.

A proud man can never be a loser—no, not even when he renounces his pride.

It is much less for a man's honor to distrust his friends than to be deceived by them.

Few people have the wisdom to like reproofs that would do them good better than praises that do them hurt.

It is with true love as with ghosts and apparitions, a thing that everybody talks of and scarce anybody hath seen.

The most disinterested love is, after all, but a kind of bargain in which the dear love of our own selves always proposes to be the gainer some way or other.—Rochefoucauld.

Naval Cadets.

To enter the Naval academy at Annapolis a boy must be between fifteen and twenty years of age, physically sound, well formed and of robust constitution. He will be examined in reading, writing, spelling, arithmetic, geography, English grammar, United States history, history of the world, algebra through quadratic equations and plane geometry.

He must sign articles by which he binds himself to serve in the United States navy eight years, including the time of probation at the academy, unless sooner discharged. His pay, which begins at date of admission, is $500 a year.

A Fair Opportunity.

Tasso, being told that he had a fair opportunity of taking advantage of a very bitter enemy, replied, "I wish not to plunder him, but there are things which I wish to take from him—not his honor or his life, but his malice and ill will."

Well spoken! A noble taking from an enemy, "his malice and ill will!" How is that done? Love is the potent weapon. "Heap coals of fire on his head."—Exchange.

His Farewells.

"That young chap that calls on our Myrtilla reminds me of Patti," said the old man in the dining room.

"Why so?" asked his wife.

"He has so many farewell performances in the vestibule."—Baltimore Herald.

Worse Than That.

"Do you think that the governor's remarks were spontaneous, grandma?"

"Worse. They were positively scand'lous."—Exchange.

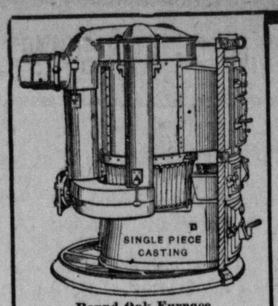
Those Girls.

Stella—He wore my picture right over his heart, and it stopped the bullet. Bella—No wonder, dear; it would stop a clock.

Bribery.

Gracie—Oh! Stealing jam! I'm going to tell mamma. Freddy—Wouldn't you rather have some jam?—Harper's Bazar.

Remember that to be successful as a hypocrite you need to be a first class actor. Comparatively few can play the part.—Somerville Journal.



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THE FRENCH DINNER.

It Is Not Only a Meal, but an Entertainment as Well.

Generally speaking, the table of the American is provided for the purpose of feeding; for the Frenchman it is for the purpose of refreshment, says Flora McDonald Thompson in Harper's Bazar.

"It must nourish—yes, but of equal necessity it must please, please the mind also as the body—and there must be provided, too, diversion and repose. Thus is cooking an art with the French people, and a meal, whether of the rich man or of the poor peasant, is one of his finest ceremonies. The employees of Paris business houses are allowed from one to two hours for the midday meal, and it is an unwritten law of the French household that the servants shall have at least an hour for dejeuner and for dinner alike, during which time they are not to be called, except for grave reason, but are left free to seat themselves at table in the kitchen, where, even in very humble kitchens, they tuck their napkins under their chins and laugh and talk while eating and drinking, so enjoying a degree of leisure nearly unknown among all classes of Americans.

"As a rule, the Paris business man takes his midday meal in the bosom of his family. This is deemed such an important feature of domestic economy that the whole scheme of living is adjusted to that end; and one finds families of wealth and social distinction housed throughout the business sections in order thus to make it possible that the hour or two allotted to dejeuner may be spent by the man in his home."

ANIMALS WITH HANDS.

How the Kangaroos Use Their Forefeet In Eating.

Kangaroos use their hands very readily to hold food in and to put it into their mouths. As their fore legs are so short that they have to browse in a stooping position, they seem pleased when able to secure a large bunch of cabbage or other vegetable provender and to hold it in their hands to eat. Sometimes the young kangaroo, looking out of its mother's pouch, catches one or two of the leaves which the old one drops, and the pair may be seen each nibbling at the salad held in their hands, one, so to speak, "one floor" above the other. The slow, deliberate clasping and unclasping of a chameleon's feet look like the movements which the hands of a sleep walker might make were he trying to creep downstairs. The chameleon's are almost deformed hands, yet they have a superficial resemblance to the feet of parrots, which more than other birds use their feet for many of the purposes of a hand when feeding. To see many of the smaller rodents—ground squirrels, prairie dogs and marmots—hold food, usually in both paws, is to learn a lesson in the dexterous use of hands without thumbs. Nothing more readily suggests the momentary impression that a pretty little monkey is "a man and a brother" than when he stretches out his neat little palm, fingers and thumb, and, with all the movements proper to the civilized mode of greeting, insists on shaking hands.

The Stormiest Region Known.

The waters of Cape Horn have never been unvisited by storms for more than a week or two at a stretch within the memory of man. Standing on the outpost of the world, Cape Horn is the meeting place of ocean currents of very different temperatures, from the icy cold waters of the antarctic drift to the warmth of the Brazilian and Peruvian return currents. The prevailing winds are from the northwest and west, and these, coming from the warm regions of the Pacific, condense into fogs which the sailors call "Cape Horn blankets" and which are the sure forerunners of storms. The extremely low levels to which the glaciers of Tierra del Fuego descend, the perpetual congelation of the subsoil, the meeting of conflicting winds of very different temperatures, are all direct or indirect causes combining to make this the most constantly stormy region of the world.

Pocket Mirrors For Men.

"Pocket mirrors for men?" repeated a wholesale notion man in response to an inquiry. "We sell hundreds of them every year. You will find them for sale on street corner stands and in some barber shops. I don't know who buys them. I can't even say I ever saw a man use a pocket mirror. But I know they are in constant demand in the trade. You can buy a very good one, metal, for 10 or 15 cents retail. Oval shaped, flat mirrors for the vest pocket, made of celluloid, with a cover to protect the glass, cost 25 cents each."—New York Press.

Insulting.

"If old Skynner doesn't take back what he said to me this morning I'll be hanged if I'll work for him any more."

"Insulting, was he?"

"I should say so. He said he thought he could get along without me."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Not Contracting.

"Do you think Johnnie is contracting bad habits at school?" asked Mrs. Caution of her husband.

"No, dear, I don't; I think he is expanding them," was the reply.

Distressed.

"Madam, will you officiate at our church fair?"

"Dear me, I never did a dishonest thing in my life."—Life.

Perhaps one reason people go late to church is that they don't have to go early to get a seat.—Atchison Globe.

HATCHING BY HEAT.

The Principle of Incubation Has Been Used For Ages.

The ancient Egyptians from time immemorial have hatched large quantities of eggs by artificial warmth, applied through peculiar but simple ovens.

Bonnemain, in 1777, was the first in more recent times to put the process upon a sound commercial footing. He communicated to the Acadamy of Sciences an interesting fact he had noticed upon the method chickens used to break their shells, and for some time before the revolution he furnished the Parisian markets with poultry at a time of the year when farmers ceased to supply it.

His apparatus was founded upon the principle of the circulation of hot water through a series of connected pipes, a novelty which was afterward applied to the warming of buildings. Water saucers were placed in the egg drawers to keep up the necessary moisture, and twenty eggs were inserted daily for twenty days, when the first brood appeared. In 1825 D'Arcet obtained chickens by hatching eggs in the warm water baths of Vichy.

Modern incubators are essentially water baths, with an automatic regulator to keep the temperature to 40 degrees C.

MINERAL WOOL.

A Valuable Product From What Was Once Regarded as Waste.

Mineral wool is a soft substance consisting of a mass of very fine mineral fibers, which interlace one another in every direction and thus form an endless number of minute air cells. It is made quite simply, by directing a blast of steam against a stream of molten slag. Some of the best is made from blast furnace slag, an admirable illustration of the value of what was once regarded as a waste product.

The slag is melted in a large cupola, and as it trickles out of the tap hole it meets a high pressure steam jet which blows it in fleecy clouds into the storage room provided for it. The heavier wool naturally settles down first, while the lighter portions are blown further along by the force of the steam, and so the material naturally sorts itself.

Mineral wool is fireproof and may be used as a sound deadener between the floors of buildings; it also serves as a nonconducting covering for cold storage chambers and for pipes. For this last purpose the wool that is made from sandstone is best, for it contains no sulphur, which, when moisture is present, is a corroding agent.

THE BAGPIPES.

They Were Used by the Early Greeks, Romans and Egyptians.

Bagpipes, mentioned in Jeremiah xlviii, 36, "Mine heart shall sound for Moab like pipes; like pipes for the men of Kir-heres," and elsewhere in Scripture, were used also by the early Egyptians.

Both Greeks and Romans knew the instrument, for a coin of Nero shows upon one side the tibia utricularis, a bag with two reeds and nine pipes. Procopius also, who wrote about 550 A. D., asserts that Roman soldiers sometimes marched to the sound of the bagpipes, and it is not impossible that they introduced them into the British islands.

The earliest, more modern reference to them is in an Irish MS. of 1150, and an Irish illuminated MS. of 1390 depicts a pig playing on the bagpipes. The Scottish highlanders were the first and only people to use the great war pipe, as the highland regiments still do, but, in spite of Sir Walter Scott's assertion, it is very doubtful whether they charged at Bannockburn to the "skirl" of the pipes.—London Answers.

The Wornout Old Man.

When we become old we want to get off the streets. We always sympathize with the old men who have nothing to do, who are not wanted anywhere and who have no place to go. When we become old and useless we want a place of our own to go to, a place that is absolutely our own and that we can manage as we please. We hope it will be a little place where we can potter with fruits and flowers, vegetables and chickens, and keep busy. We don't want to give people opportunity to show neglect nor idle time in which to see visions of the grim monster. Old men who loiter about the streets, it always seems to us, make a mistake.—Atchison Globe.

Nourishment.

A man is a very broad, omnivorous animal and needs a great variety of food, both mental and physical. No matter what element we omit in his bill of fare there is a corresponding loss, omission or weakness in his life. You cannot get a full, complete man on half a bill of fare. You cannot nourish his body and starve his soul and expect him to be symmetrical, well balanced, poised. Nor can you starve his body and nourish his soul and expect him to be a giant on the physical as well as on the spiritual plane.—Success.

Must Be Very Good.

Jenny—Papa, cook must be very good. Papa—Why, my dear? Jenny—Because in my lesson last Sunday it said that the wicked shall not live out half their days, and cook says she has lived out all her life.

Plenty of Light.

Rev. Dr. Thumper—Does not married life seem brighter to you? Mrs. Newbride—It ought to. My wedding gifts included twenty-five lamps.

Joy's recollection is no longer joy, while sorrow's memory is sorrow still. —Byron.

A ROMAN FIASCO.

The Colossal Show That Was Planned by Symmachus.

Symmachus, last of the great nobles of Rome, who, blinded by tradition, thought to revive the glories of his beloved city by reviving its shame, graphically describes the anxieties of the preparations for one of these colossal shows, on which he is said to have spent what would be about £80,000 of our money. He began a year in advance. Horses, bears, lions, Scotch dogs, crocodiles, chariot drivers, hunters, actors and the best gladiators were recruited from all parts. But when the time drew near nothing was ready. Only a few of the animals had come, and these were half dead of hunger and fatigue. The bears had not arrived and there was no news of the lions. At the eleventh hour the crocodiles reached Rome, but they refused to eat and had to be killed all at once in order that they might not die of hunger. It was even worse with the gladiators who were intended to provide, as in all these beast shows, the crowning entertainment. Twenty-nine of the Saxon captives, whom Symmachus had chosen on account of the well known valor of their race, strangled one another in prison rather than fight to the death for the amusement of their conquerors. And Symmachus, with all his real elevation of mind, was moved to nothing but disgust by their sublime choice! Rome in her greatest days had gloried in these shows. How could a man be a patriot who set his face against customs which followed the Roman eagles round the world? How many times since then has patriotism been held to require the extinction of moral sense?—Contemporary Review.

NORMAN DISTRUST.

One Simple Way by Which a Traveler May Disarm It.

The greatest obstacle to agreeable pedestrianism in Normandy is the proverbial Norman distrust. The Norman's distrust of the stranger takes the form of a comical sort of terror of being financially duped, cheated or swindled, not to say robbed—probably because he is himself perpetually engaged in financial duping.

If the tramper does not succeed in disarming by one means or another Norman distrust his tramping life in Normandy will be made a burden to him. Norman distrust can be disarmed, but it cannot be disarmed in an instant, a l'Americaine. It takes time to do it—the Norman is the last person in the world to stand and deliver—and there is no social device to be mentioned in the same breath with drinking for courteously consuming time.

If the tramper asks a simple question at a farmhouse he cannot decently linger—not in Normandy—after his question is answered. If he makes a petty purchase in a store his situation is only a trifle less awkward, since he is morally obliged to retire as soon as the transaction is completed. On the other hand, he has only to order a drink—in this country of cider and applejack every store and nearly every farmhouse sells liquor—to be entitled to sit at a table for as long as he wills it and to talk.—Booklovers' Magazine.

How Fishes Talk.

Fishes undoubtedly communicate with their fellows. Even if they cannot "talk," they have other means of communication that are better adapted to their needs. We know how readily fishes recognize their mates and how quickly brooding fishes repel intruders of their own or other species. Something besides seeing them—perhaps some sense of which we have no conception—may do this. Many fishes communicate with their fellows by means of sounds produced through the medium of their air bladders, by grinding their teeth together and in various other ways.

The sense of touch is highly developed in many fishes and doubtless enables them to communicate. The sense of taste, located all over the skin in some fishes, in the fins in others, and the sense of smell, strongly developed in some forms of submarine life, also must be aids to communication.—St. Nicholas.

Landing In France.

A traveler in France in the early part of the nineteenth century describes his landing at Boulogne by means of a small boat as follows: "The boat rowed toward the nearest shore until it ran aground, which happened in the midst of the breakers. In an instant the boat was surrounded by a throng of women up to their middles and over, who were there to carry us on shore. Not being aware of these maneuvers, we did not throw ourselves into the arms of these sea nymphs so readily as we might have done, whereby those who sat in the stern of the boat were deluged with sea spray."

Ready to Believe It.

Sociable Native—I suppose you know these sand dunes move? That one over there has traveled nearly a quarter of a mile since I've been living here.

Traveler (who had been detained six hours by a railway washout)—Don't doubt it in the least. I can't imagine anything or anybody staying in this town that could possibly get away.—Chicago Tribune.

Physical Culture.

Crabshaw—Physical culture is a great thing. I've been at it for ten years. Crawford—Why don't you start a class of your own? Crabshaw—I haven't the physique.—Town Topics.

Sentiment is a strong man's concealment of what he feels, while sentimentality is a weak man's expression of what he doesn't feel.

GEORGIA IS LAUNCHED

Monster Battleship of Largest Type Is Christened at Bath, Me.

VESSEL TO COST $3,590,000

Armor Weighing 3,700 Gross Tons Protects Its Sides—Will Carry 700 Officers and Men.

Bath, Me., Oct. 12.—The twin-screw first-class battleship Georgia has been launched here. Miss Stella Tate, daughter of the late Major William Tate, and a sister of Representative F. Carter Tate, named the vessel. The weather was cloudy, but conditions generally were favorable for a successful launching.

To Cost $3,590,000.

The Georgia is one of the three battleships authorized under an act of congress approved March 3, 1899, and is also a duplicate of the two authorized and approved June 7, 1900. Bids for these five battleships were opened at the navy department Nov. 15, 1900, and in February, 1901, the Bath Iron works was awarded the contract for the building of the Georgia, a sister ship of the Virginia, the Rhode Island, the New Jersey and the Nebraska, at a contract price of $3,590,000.

Ship of Largest Class.

The Georgia is of the most powerful type of battleships afloat, and of the largest class. She has a trial displacement of 15,000 tons, is 435 feet long and 76 feet 10 inches beam, and under trial conditions will draw twenty-four feet. The craft is protected by the best armor, having a combined weight of 3,700 gross tons, which includes a main belt extending the entire length of each side, from eleven to four inches thick. The battery of the Georgia consists of four 12-inch breech-loading rifles, eight 8-inch breech-loading rifles, twelve 6-inch breech-loading rapid-fire rifles, twelve three-pounder guns, four one-pounder automatic guns, four one-pounder single-shot guns, two 3-inch field guns, two machine guns and six automatic guns. There are also four submerged torpedo tubes. There is a bunker capacity of 1,900 tons of coal.

Launched with Steam Up.

Both military masts with fighting tops and signaling gear are now in position, and three smoke funnels are set up. The Georgia has the distinction of being the first battleship launched with steam up. The Georgia is fitted up as a flagship. Quarters are provided for 700 men.

Paducah Takes the Water.

New York, Oct. 12.—The gunboat Paducah was launched at the shipyards of the Gas Engine and Power company and the Charles L. Seabury company on the Harlem river at Morris Heights. She is fitted with steel throughout, and her cost, when completed, will be between $650,000 and $700,000. She is 200 feet over all and will have a speed of twelve knots.

Brig Boxer Launched.

Portsmouth, N. H., Oct. 12. — The United States brig "Boxer," the first of her class, has been successfully launched at the Portsmouth navy yard. The Boxer is to be used as a training ship by the naval academy at Annapolis. She is 125 feet 6 inches in length, with 28 fet 5-inch beam, 29 feet 11 inches drop and has a displacement of 450 tons.

GOVERNMENT TAKES HAND

Revenue Officers Begin Investigation of Alleged Whisky Poisoning in New York.

New York, Oct. 12.—When Herman Sachs died in Roosevelt hospital twenty minutes after he had been admitted as a patient another death was added to the long list of those which Coroner Scholer believes were caused by the use of wood alcohol in the whisky sold in the saloon of Rudolph Fritsche. There are now sixteen deaths on this list. The government has taken a hand in the investigation of the alleged poisoned whisky case to which many deaths in the vicinity of Tenth avenue and Forty-sixth street have been attributed. Following the arrest of a saloonkeeper by the local police and visits to all the saloons in the vicinity for the purpose of securing samples of the liquor sold there, all the revenue officers of the Second and Third district began an investigation. All the saloons were again visited and more samples of the liquor were taken for analysis.

Coroner Scholer said that an examination of the contents of the stomachs of two of the persons who died suddenly under mysterious conditions disclosed traces of wood alcohol. In addition to the local police and to federal authorities, representatives of several insurance companies have begun an investigation of the many recent deaths in this section of the city.

St. Gaudens Loses by Fire.

Windsor, Vt., Oct. 12.—Fire in an old studio belonging to Augustus St. Gaudens, across the Connecticut line, has destroyed thousands of dollars' worth of statues, plaster casts, medallions and other valuable work of St. Gaudens and his assistants. It will take months to remodel the statues destroyed. The fire started in a barn and spread to the studio.

Henry C. Payne's Will Filed.

Milwaukee, Oct. 12.—The will of the late Henry C. Payne have been filed for probate. The estate is valued at $750,000 and is left in trust to Frank G. Bigelow.

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Fergus Hume has done nothing better than this in his many popular detective stories. The outcome keeps the reader constantly guessing, and a big surprise is the climax of every complication.—Albany Times-Union.

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Important Announcement!

A Large Consignment of METAL BEDS shipped us by error will be sold

AT COST

to save the expense of returning them. There is nothing better in the market. The designs and colors are just the kind that please the minute you see them.

GEO. J. REED,

Cabinet Maker. 112 East First Street

IF YOU WANT GOOD Actually Good Quality



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At prices that will stand comparison.

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115 First St., Dixon

P. S:—We are here to stay and CANNOT afford to deceive you.

Kuyler's

Walgreen-Davis Drug Co.

GOV. YATES LAUDS DENEEN

Executive Discussed State Issues at Prophetstown Tuesday.

Prophetstown, Ill., Oct 12.—Gov. Richard Yates delivered his first speech of the campaign yesterday afternoon at Prophetstown, where he addressed a large and enthusiastic audience in Sholes' hall. The governor spoke of the state issues, defending and praising the efforts of the republican party and the state administration, and paid a glowing tribute to Charles S. Deneen. He advocated the new primary law and a new charter for Chicago.

Chicken Pie Supper.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church is to serve a chicken pie supper in Mr. Monroe's vacant store in Dement-town 613 Depot avenue, Thursday evening from 5 to 8 o'clock. The Endeovors have made most generous preparations, and those who can go up and take supper will realize that they have been bountifully provided for and be glad that they favored the Endeavors with their presence. The street cars run right by the door.

Well Known Ball Player Here.

D. W. Easton, the well known ball player, who was with the Dixon College nine several seasons ago, is here on a visit from Ft. Dodge, Iowa. He played with the Ft. Dodge team this year and states that the national game is very popular in that section

Dixonite Publishing Western Paper.

The Wenatchee Advance, published at Wenatchee, Chelan county, Washington, reaches our table. It is a live sheet of neat appearance, and is published by James L. Corey, formerly of Dixon.

Strawberries in Market.

Bert Beebe has marked a crate of fine looking strawberries. This is the second crop from his vines and a remarkable yield. The berries are at Downing Bros. store.

Gunshoot Postponed.

The gunshoot to have been held Thursday afternoon by the Dixon Gun club has been postponed until further notice.

—Miss Annie L. Geisenheimer went to Chicago this morning.

—Miss Annie Faulhaber has recovered from a severe illness.

—W. R. Wood and F. L. Clisby of Parker, S. Dak., are here in business.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McMahan have gone to St. Louis to attend the fair.

—Clinton Herald—F. J. Millar of the Dixon Gas Co., was in Lyons today.

—Aaron Kehr is home from a northern trip on which he went in company with U. Wasley.

—Mrs. T. F. Dornblaser is here from Chicago on a visit and is a guest at the C Gonnerman home.

—Miss Ada Decker left last night for Beaumont, Texas, and will stop for a short time at St. Louis to visit the fair.

—The Sterling Gazette says that there are employed in that city at the present time three hundred men on various public improvements.

—On account of the death of Mrs. Scooler, of St. Louis, wife of the proprietor of the Leader Millinery store, the store will be closed Thursday forenoon, the date of the funeral.

—Governor Yates addressed a large and enthusiastic crowd at Prophetstown yesterday. A good many were present from surrounding towns and country, and they heard an excellent address.

The systematic attempt to wreck the battleship Connecticut during her launching, now fully revealed by the Navy Department, are astounding and incomprehensible in view of the precautions taken after the discovery of the first ingenious effort. What motive can be assigned? Condign punishment should be meted to the miscreant of miscreants.

What does Great Britain propose to do with the Third Secretary of her American Embassy, Mr. Gurney, who wantonly violated the law in Massachusetts and claimed diplomatic sacredness? Does technical immunity from arrest involve real immuity from punishment? A foreigner who is only a transient sojourner, in any country ought not to deliberately break the laws, and if he does so ignorantly, he ought not to grumble if held accountable.

COSTS NOTHING IF IT FAILS

Rowland Bros. Give Guarantee Bond with Mi-o-na, Nature's Remedy for Dyspepsia.

Read the following plain and positive guarantee that Rowland Bros. give with every box of Mi-o na that they sell,

GUARANTEE BOND

We hereby agree to refund the money paid for Mi-o-na on return of empty box, if the purchaser tells us that it has failed to cure dyspepsia or stomach troubles. This guarantee covers two boxes, or a month' treatment. Price 50c per box.

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TODAY'S GRAIN REPORT

Furnished by E. H. Prince, & Co. Union Hall Block Dixon, Ill.

CHICAGO, Ill. Oct. 12, 1904.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Dec....	109½-109	110½	108⅞	110⅜b
May....	109⅝-109¾	111	109	110⅜b
Corn—				
Dec....	48⅝-48½	49½	48½	49⅜
May....	45¼-46⅛	46½	45⅝	46½
Oats—				
Dec....	29¼	29½	28⅝	29½
May....	31⅛-31½	31⅝	30⅜	31⅝
Pork—				
Jan'y...	12.60	12 60	12.30	12.42
Lard—				
Jan'y..	7.35	7.35	7.15	7.22

The Local Markets.

Dixon, Oct. 12, 1904.

Eggs, fresh, per dozen	21
Dairy Butter, per lb	20
Potatoes bushel	35
Dry Onions, bushel	65
Turnips, bushel	30
Cabbage, dozen	40
Beets	60
Spring Chickens, dressed,	15
Lard	10
Honey	12

Corrected by Geo. D. Laing.

No 3 yellow corn	47
No. 3 corn	45
Mixed Oats	27
White Oats	28

Prices quoted by D. J. Giltenane.

Canners	1 to 2c
Cutters	2½c
Fat cows	2½c
Good fat heifers	3c
Good hogs	$5.00 @ $5.40

School Report.

The following is the report of the Kimball school in District 11, for the month ending Oct. 5:

Number of pupils enrolled, 22.

Number of days taught, 23.

Average daily attendadce, 21.

Pupils neither absent nor tardy were: Ada Leland, William Long, Etta Duis, Anna Bruns, Oral Leland, Clarence Myers, Anna Long, Oran Bruns and Fred Bruns.

Pupils not absent but tardy were Anna Ohde, Ella Ohde and Etta Gerdes.

ALMIRA BACHMAN, teacher.

At Hoosier Girl.

At the opera house on Friday night "The Hoosier Girl" known as being a most delightful rural comedy, promises to score a local hit. It is said to be a great accession to the list of comedy successes, as the bright



jollity of the farce creates no end of merriment. It has every reason for succeeding, for it is acted by a capital company, including the world-famed Kate Watsrn in the title role, and it is so distinctly novel in scheme and development that it furnishes what most people like best, a diversion from accepted standard. The plot is good and will keep you guessing. The incidents are immensely amusing, which makes it quite the breeziest offering for a long time.

THE BARGAIN COUNTER

Merchants to Their Patrons.

Look out for Jersey Lily. 236t6

CHICKEN PIE SUPPER

Thurday Night at Monroe's Store, Dement-town. 241t2

For hay and straw by the ton or bale go to the Dixon Cereal Co. 225tf

Water Color Painting

Miss Annie Eustace will open her fall classes in painting the first of the week. She can be found on all mornings of the week from nine till twelve at the Miller Building on Galena Ave., third floor over Wendel's Jewelry store. Afternoon classes will be formed for those wishing them.

Parties wishing to go up the river camping or take a launch ride, should call up Henry Coe, at 107 Hennepin Ave. 241t1

Look out for Jersey Lily. 236t6

PURE BUCKWHEAT

And Maple Syrup at GEO. D. LAING's. 241t12

Do not forget the Endeavorer's chicken pie supper at Monroe's store Dement-town Thursday evening from 5 to 8 o'clock—25c. 241t2

Going Out of Business.

The Dixon Mercantile Co is going out of business. For full particulars regarding their sale see their bills now being distributed at your homes

Look out for Jersey Lily. 236t6

CLAIRVOYANT

is located at corner Madison and First street. Readings 35c and 50c. Hours 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. See sign at side door. 240t8

Look out for Jersey Lily. 236t6

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Going Out of Business.

The Dixon Mercantile Co. is going out of business. For full particulars regarding their sale see their bills now being distributed at your homes. 40tf

POTATOES

For a few days forty cents per bushel. Thirty-five cents in ten-bushel lots. C. H. GRAY, 113 Peoria Ave. 141t2

POTATOES

Leave order for winter supply.

241t4 GEO. D. LAING.

Dixon Pen Artist's Work.

The current number of the Western Penman gives space to some handsome and intricate scroll work by Prof. L. M. Kelchner of the Pen Art department of the Northern Illinois Normal school of this city.

Missionary Society.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet next Thursday afternoon at 2:20 o'clock with Mrs. W. J. Worsley on Galena avenue. A cordial invitation if extended to all ladies of the church.

Monroe's

5 & 10c Store

JUST OPENED

Did you hear about it—It's all the rage.

Goods All New and Clean

It's a Wonder—Don't Miss It.

615 Depot Ave., Dementtown.

THE LAUNCH

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Can take **Picnic, Nutting and Hunting Parties** up the river on short order. Take advantage of

INDIAN SUMMER

as there is still about three weeks of the boating season. The Dam being practically completed, the river has raised about five feet. County Phone 175.

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The Plymouth Clothing & Shoe Co.

112 First St. Dixon, Ill

.....Our.....

14th Anniversary

.....and.....

Grand Fall Opening Sale!

Was Launched LAST SATURDAY in our own inimitable way. The success of this sale was beyond our most sanguine expectations. The multitude of people that attended our ANNIVERSARY SALE last Saturday is self-evidence that the people look forward to the announcement of our ANNIVERSARY SALES with pleasant anticipation. It was utterly impossible to wait on all last Saturday and in order to give everybody an opportunity to take advantage of thi Greatest of All Bargain Events of the Whole Year,

We Shall Continue the 14th Anniversary Sale

All This Week

The same advertised prices and the same UNPARALLELED BARGAINS as offered last Saturday will apply to all goods bought this week. If you are a believer in economy it will pay you to take advantage of the UNUSUAL MONEY-SAVING OPPORTUNITIES in every department during the ANNIVERSARY SALE.

Our Magnificent Display

of FALL AND WINTER APPAREL FOR MEN AND BOYS is comprised of everything that is new and nobby in Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats and Shoes.

Early purchasers will derive a benefit ALL THIS WEEK never before given at the beginning of a season. The prices on everything have been reduced fully 25 per cent on new and desirable merchandise in every department during the ANNIVERSARY SALE.

The Plymouth Clothing & Shoe Co.

AUTUMN MILLINERY Call and see our Nobby Line of STREET AND TAILORED HATS PRICES TO SUIT ALL.....

MISS MULKINS.

FIRST STREET, OPPOSITE EXPRESS OFFICE.

If Your Eyes Trouble You



Why not have them examined and find out the cause of the trouble. No charge for examination. Glasses fitted. Guaranteed satisfactory.

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...JEWELER & OPTICIAN ...

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on hand at all times. Will sell or trade.

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723 DEPOT AVE.

Here is Something

that will undoubtedly interest good housekeepers. We have just bought out L. D. Griswold, who has been advertising this city with the **Peerless Cooking Utensils.** They are fire-proof preparation of Aluminum fine clay. There are five pieces in a set, run from 2 to 7 quarts. Nothing better for preserving fruit. Special sale for the next ten days at **95c per set.** Call early.

J. H. DEETER

105 PEORIA AVE.

Dealer in New and Second-Hand Furniture.

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On accouut of rebuilding my shop opposite Oakwood Cemetery I will offer

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